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NEW ENROLLMENT RECORD SET

Final Plans Being Made For Visit To Texas Centennial At Dallas Next Week

Special Train To Leave State Normal Campus On October 2; Return Trip
October 4

Final plans are being whipped into shape for the visit of the State Normal college student body to the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas on October 2, 3 and 4. Arrangements have been completed for the chartering of a special train over the Texas and Pacific Railroad, and other details regarding the purchasing of blanket tickets covering the entrance fee to the exposition grounds and the Cavalcade will be ironed out this week.

According to present plans the special will leave the Normal campus at 10 p. m. Friday, October 2 and arrive in Dallas at 7 a. m. Saturday, October 3. The return trip will start at 11:30 p. m. Saturday, October 3.

Authorities of the college announced this week that only residence students enrolled in the college proper will be eligible to go on the special train. Non-resident students and local citizens will be given the same reduced rate of \$4.00 for the round trip, but they will go on the train which leaves Natchitoches at 8:17 p. m. Friday.

Groups of 80

Students of the college will not be charged for their railroad tickets, it has been announced. Surplus funds from the lyceum, book store and field house will be used to purchase the tickets, President Albert A. Fredericks stated this week.

Groups of 80 will be formed and designated to separate coaches with a member of the college faculty in charge. Each faculty member will be responsible for the tickets issued to him for the students under his direction. He will be given a list of the students in his coach and after checking the group will then give out the tickets which will later be taken up by the railroad officials. The tickets issued are not transferable, and must be used by college students in residence.

Turner Addresses Students

It has been pointed out that a student making the trip to the Exposition need not spend more than two dollars, sixty-five cents to the grounds and Cavalcade, or fifty cents entrance fee alone, and approximately \$1.50 for three meals.

In an address before the student body Monday, Mr. Jim Turner, official of the Texas and Pacific Railroad, stated that "students would have to step lively to see all of the fine educational features offered free at the Exposition."

A suggestive program is being formulated for the students to follow during their stay on the grounds. It is hoped that the college authorities and students will be given the opportunity to meet the Exposition officials and that the band will be allotted a period over a national hook-up at some time during the day.

"Miss Louisiana" Selected

Miss Louisiana and her eight maids representing the Congressional districts of Louisiana will be recognized as official representatives of the college students during the trip.

In commenting upon the project, President Fredericks declared that the trip should be a great educational opportunity for the students and a happy occasion in their lives. "The visit to the Centennial is to be primarily an educational one," President Fredericks said, "and will be so organized that each student will derive the utmost educational benefit possible."

The trip to the Texas Centennial next week is believed to be the first of its kind ever sponsored by a college or university in the United States.

Coeds Elected As Sponsors To Texas Centennial

Miss Ottie Mae Duncan Named
"Miss Louisiana" In Student
Election Held Monday

At the first assembly called by the Student Council on Monday the student body elected nine maids who will act as sponsors at the Dallas Exposition. Ottie Mae Duncan of Alexandria was chosen as "Miss Louisiana" from a field of three.

The purpose of electing a "Miss Louisiana" was made clear by Mr. R. L. Ropp, when he said at the assembly, "It will be necessary when we get to Dallas to have a group that can act as representatives of Normal. As it would be impossible for all of us to be interviewed, there will be these nine girls who will act as spokesmen to the press and to all city and Exposition officials. Also it is very probable that stories and pictures of the Normal exodus to Dallas will get into all the papers in the country; therefore, it will be advantageous to show to the nation the beauty that is Louisiana and especially Normal."

The eight coeds who will act as maids are: Andrea Armbruster, St. Bernard; Myrtis Sexton, of New Orleans; Evelyn Ellzey, New Iberia; Bobby Montgomery, Benton; Martha Files, Oak Ridge; Miriam Himel, Port Allen; Clayton Love, DeRidder; Corry Smith, Natchitoches.

Normal College Band Gets Early Practice Session

Early Engagements Make Pre-School Training Period For Musicians Necessary

Returning for a one-week's pre-school training period, the Louisiana State Normal college band of fifty musicians under the direction of Professor Gilbert T. Saetre, bandmaster, has been developed into what is being acclaimed the best musical organization of its kind in the history of the college.

Faced with several early engagements, Professor Saetre called his band members to the campus on September 7 for the pre-season training period. Two sessions were held daily prior to the opening of the fall quarter on September 14.

The first appearance of the band came on September 11 when the local musicians gave a concert before 250 adult WPA teachers who were attending a six-day planning institute on the campus. The second appearance of the band was at the football clinic given in honor of the North Louisiana Coaches Association meeting held at the college on September 12.

Other engagements include concerts at the freshman party on September 14, pep meetings, Washington-Yoree hotel in Shreveport and at the Centenary-Normal football game last Saturday.

The band will accompany the student body to the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas on (Continued on Page 4)

BEGINS THIRD YEAR AS PRESIDENT



Pictured here seated at his desk in the president's office at the State Normal College is President Albert A. Fredericks who began his third year as head of the State Teachers' College here last week. President Fredericks will head a delegation of the student body to the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas on October 2, 3 and 4 as one of the outstanding educational features of the year at the local institution. During his two-year administration a \$500,000 building program has been launched at the State Normal College and the student body enrollment has increased more than 15 per cent.

Tri-State Singing Convention Here Saturday, Sunday

Sessions To Be Held In Men's
Gymnasium-Auditorium On
Local College Campus

The Louisiana State Normal College campus will be the mecca for hundreds of music lovers this week-end when the fourth annual Tri-State Singing Convention is scheduled to be held in the men's gymnasium-auditorium here. Last year approximately 5000 singers attended the two-day singing meet.

The first session of the convention this year will come at 8 p. m. Saturday with the second Sunday at 9 a. m. and the third and final program at 1:30 p. m. Sunday.

The two-day session this year will mark the second time the convention has met on the State Teachers' college campus. The first meeting was held here last year, upon the invitation of President Albert A. Fredericks.

Many outstanding musicians including famous quartets and trios as well as vocal soloists have been invited to attend the three sessions.

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Work Progressing On Power Plant At Normal College

New Dynamos To Be Installed In
Unit Will Supply Alternating
Current

Work is moving rapidly forward toward the completion of a new power and heating unit for the improvement of the lighting, heating, and watering system of the Normal college campus, according to the latest report of engineers engaged in the project.

When completed, the plant will make obsolete the equipment which is now housed in the old power plant now stationed directly back of the new library. New dynamos will be installed which will change the present direct current motors to high tension alternating current.

In addition to serving the present college requirements, the power house will furnish energy for a campus parkway lighting system and water pumps located several miles from the campus proper.

The power house will be constructed of non-combustible material so as to render it safe from fires.

Freshman Beauties At State Normal College Have High Rating In Prep School Work

Miss Mildred Rhodes of Grand Cane Named
Prettiest By Peerless Judges Of
Pulchritude

The oft-quoted saying "Beautiful but dumb" will have to look to its laurels if one were to judge the saying by the bevy of beauties selected by the first-year students at the freshman party held here recently. With scarcely an exception, the eleven frosh selected to represent freshman pulchritude at the Normal college have been above-the-average students during their high school days.

When questioned about whether they liked Normal or not, most of them said, "Oh it's all right," with an "Uh-huh, I like it," here and there. One or two admitted that they were a bit lonesome here (but that of course was not for publication).

Miss Mildred Rhodes of Grand Cane, who was selected the "prettiest" by a committee of such peerless judges of pulchritude as Professors F. G. Fournet, chairman, Leroy S. Miller, co-chairman, S. W. Nelken, "ag-man", Ralph Agate of S. L. L., H. Lee Prather, demon advisor, J. W. Webb, chemist, and Henry Ford Glass, freshman beauty specialist, plans to follow the home-economics curriculum while sidelining in swimming and dancing. Mildred is a sixteen year old blonde with hazel blue eyes back of which is hidden an active brain.

Natchitoches is represented by four young women whose interests vary from debating to horse- (Continued on Page 4)

Total Registration In All Departments Of College Soars To All-Time High Of 2,454

Residence Enrollment In College Proper Is
1250; Expected To Top
1300

Enrollment for the fall quarter at the Louisiana State Normal college here soared to a new high this week to give the State Teachers' college a total registration of 2,454 students in all departments. Authorities predicted that the final enrollment figures will top 2,500 by September 28, the last day students will be permitted to enter for credit during the current session.

\$150,000 Library To Be Complete By November 1st

Three Carloads Of New Furniture
Ordered For New Structure
Here

With three carloads of library furniture on the way and finishing touches being added to all floors, authorities predict that the \$150,000 library being built to replace the old structure will be ready for occupancy by Nov. 1.

Soon after completion, the building will be formally dedicated at ceremonies to which Governor Richard W. Leche, in whose honor the building is named, and other state dignitaries will be invited.

The building is located opposite Caldwell Hall which will complete the quadrangle formed by the flanking Warren Easton Hall and Science building. The architecture will be of the Tudor Gothic type to harmonize with the other buildings in the quadrangle.

A semi-attic floor in the building will contain seminar and storage rooms. The semi-basement floor will house several classrooms and offices for the library science department, a visual education room to seat two hundred students, and storage space for government documents, archives, reserve books, rare books and maps.

The main floor is composed of reading, lounging and browsing rooms in addition to the main hall which leads to the loan desk and stack rooms.

Ten Teachers Added To Local College Faculty

Music, Biology, Training School
And High School Departments
Get Additions

Ten teachers were added to the faculty of the Louisiana State Normal College at the opening of the fall quarter last week.

The new instructors include the head of the music department, one in the biology division, three supervisors in the high school and in the training school.

Mr. Paul Thornton, head of the music department received his A. B. from Emporia Teachers college and his M. A. from Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill. Mr. Thornton taught in Salina, Kansas prior to his employment at the State Normal.

Miss Laurette E. Fox of Boone, North Carolina, is teaching in the biology department. Dr. Fox received her B. S. from Westminster college, Pennsylvania, her M. S. and Ph. D. from the University of Illinois. Dr. Fox was previously employed in the biology departments of Alderson Broaddes college, Philippi, West Virginia, and Dodd college respectively.

Miss Kathryn Gregg, from West Monroe received her experience as teacher in the high school at Waterproof and as head of the Home Economics practice cottage at Tech. Miss Gregg received her M. S. from Louisiana University.

Miss Dorothy Cohen, who was formerly a leader in the campus activities of the State Normal, is now supervisor of the Social sci- (Continued on Page 4)

In the college department proper the enrollment for the fall quarter is 1,500, with 1,250 students in residence and 250 registered for correspondence courses. The final residence enrollment is expected to be more than 1300 by next week, and the extension division registration will in all probability go to 500 when extension classes are organized at several points in the state.

The high school department of the college has an enrollment of 316 and the elementary training school division has 628 registered. Twenty-seven students are practicing teaching in the high school this term, and 22 are teaching in the training school.

Dormitories Crowded
Features of the three-day opening period last week included special orientation for freshmen and classification and registration of students under faculty supervision. Assignments for classroom work were perfected Saturday when students completed enrolling in their classes.

With the dormitories on the campus crowded to capacity, many of the students are following the plan adopted two years ago and are rooming under college regulations in the homes of local citizens. More than 200 students are staying at home and attending the college via bus lines operating in all directions from the campus.

President Fredericks Speaks
The crowded conditions now being experienced in many of the classrooms will be relieved greatly upon the completion of the new \$150,000 library on November 1. The new structure contains several classrooms and a large visual education room which will accommodate more than 200 students. Several classrooms which have been added to Warren Easton Hall are also nearing completion.

At a special student assembly Friday, President Albert A. Fredericks explained the plan of the college to give the student body a trip to the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas on October 2, 3 and 4. "We are looking upon the visit to the Texas Centennial as one of the educational highlights of the year at the State Normal college," stated President Fredericks, "and I hope that each student will take advantage of the opportunity offered by the institution."

Student activities for the first two weeks of the new session included two pep meetings, a Pan-Hellenic tea given in honor of the new students, organization of dormitory councils, nominations and elections for editor of the college paper, and election of sponsors to the Texas Centennial Exposition.

President and Mrs. Albert
A. Fredericks
honoring
Students of Louisiana State
Normal College
and
Members of Faculty,
Administrative Staff, their
husbands and wives
at Tea
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seven to eight-thirty
President's home

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We, Too, Were Tender

All of us were once young and tender. All of us then surely were watched and babied, and care was taken not to step on us as we sat or toddled on the floor. We were in the process of naturally developing our little bones and muscles so that we would grow into strong or beautiful specimens of masculine or feminine pulchritude. This was necessary.

Had we been mistreated by neglect and stepped on when we were young, we would not now be the fine group of ladies and gentlemen that we are.

Part of the Normal campus grass is young and tender. It needs the loving care of all of us. Cement and board walks are conveniently netted through the campus so that we may walk on them and avoid stepping on the grass that has made and should continue to make the Normal campus the most beautiful in the country and the most pleasant for a genuine college atmosphere. For our own benefit, then, let's give the grass a chance to grow. NOBODY STEPPED ON US WHEN WE WERE YOUNG.

Onward To Dallas

History tells that the first American settlers that went to Texas stopped in Natchitoches, and one morning after a brief rest, left civilization and went on into a land that held for them many hardships and tragedies. Nothing stopped the valiant and courageous Texan, and today The Texas Centennial at Dallas celebrates and reviews 100 years of independence and achievement.

On October 2, about 1200 Normal students will leave for the Dallas Exposition grounds; however, it will be in a much lighter vein than those that journeyed on years ago. We go to see what they have accomplished. The Cavalcade of Texas is the historical pageant of the Exposition, which has been acclaimed by critics as beautifully and powerfully depicting the story of the people that Remembered the Alamo, and in its memory built a state that makes us proud to be her neighbor.

What we are to see at the Exposition will never be forgotten; it is part of our history; the pageant of Texas is the pageant of the United States. The development of the automobile industry to the present methods of mass production may be seen in the General Motors and Ford exhibits. The progress of transportation may be seen in the Transportation Building, while numerous other exhibits offer educational opportunities that we get only once in a life time.

Too, if one's hearing is good, and his eyes sharp, he may find out innumerable facts about the state of Texas, for how many know that: the Cavalcade of Texas will be presented on the world's largest stage, 350 feet by 200 feet. It will include a river 12 feet wide. That the Texas Centennial Exposition will be the first air conditioned world's Fair. If you listen well you might hear the fact that in a room in the high school at Yoakum, Texas, the pupils sit in Lavaca county and the teachers sit in DeWitt county. The county line divides the room. However, some of the funsters around the campus are certain to come back with the story that when the famed Texas Rangers had all the bad men of Kimble County rounded up there weren't enough men left to make a jury to try them.

All in all, all will come back with a wealth of worthwhile material and information that will make them more cultured and more rounded out individuals. What we will see we will remember even when we are in the seventh stage of man, or as Shakespeare said, "Sans teeth, sans hair, and sans eyes."

To president Fredericks, whose foresight and interest in our happiness and education made this possible we owe a debt that we will never be able to repay. In respect for his fine spirit and efforts to give us this splendid educational opportunity we should and will act like the ladies and gentlemen that the history and tradition of Normal make us.

Miss Hanley Is Named Editor Of Current Sauce

John Makar Withdraws Nomination In Favor Of Alexandria Coed Here

Miss Marguerite Hanley of Alexandria was named editor of the Current Sauce at a meeting of the student body Monday. John Makar of Lake Charles who was the second nominee of the Current

Sauce staff withdrew his nomination in favor of Miss Hanley.

Miss Hanley has been a member of the local college paper staff for two years, having served as society editor of the paper last year.

Miss Hanley stated this week that she plans to name her staff for the 1936-27 session at an early date. The paper this week has been edited largely by members of last year's staff.

REIGN OVER RUSH SEASON



Pictured here are the presidents of the five educational sororities at the Louisiana State Normal college here who are reigning over "rush season" festivities at the State Teachers' college. Parties feting the freshman co-eds are featuring the social activities sponsored by the organizations. The sorority heads are, upper row, left to right: Jean Johnson of Taylortown, Alpha Sigma Alpha; Dorothy V. Irion of Benton, Pi Kappa Sigma; Thelma Hickman of Shreveport, Sigma Sigma Sigma. Bottom row: Elizabeth L'Herisson of Natchitoches, Delta Sigma Epsilon; Alma Dezendorf of Marfa, Texas, Theta Sigma Upsilon.

SORORITY NOTES

The first entertainment by the sororities was a tea given by the Pan-Hellenic council, on Sunday afternoon, September 20. Every freshman was invited.

The main rush parties will be given in the following sequence: Sigma Sigma Sigma on Friday, September 25; Theta Sigma Upsilon on Saturday, September 26; Pi Kappa Sigma on Tuesday, September 29; Alpha Sigma Alpha on Wednesday, September 30; and Delta Sigma Epsilon on Thursday, October 1.

Aside from this party of each group, each sorority has the privilege of having two other forms of entertainment for her rushees.

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma has sixteen active members and twelve pledges enrolled for the fall session. Initiation services for several of the pledges will be held soon.

Psi Psi chapter announces the initiation of Lois Downs, Frances Evelyn Cavanaugh, and Maxine Davis at the end of the last Spring term.

Jean Johnson, president and convention delegate of Psi Psi chapter, attended the National convention held at Breezy Point, Peguot, Minnesota, which was held during the month of August. She reports an interesting and beneficial trip. Psi Psi chapter announces that the national ranking has been raised from twenty-first place in 1934 to fifth place in 1936.

Jean Hall of Psi Psi chapter was selected by Earl Carroll as one of the six Louisiana favorites. The contest was sponsored by the Pel Mel, magazine of Louisiana State University. Each college of the state was represented through the various sororities. Miss Hall was the only student at the Normal college to receive such an honor.

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

Elizabeth L'Herisson and Annice Allday, president and vice president respectively, were delegates from Phi chapter to the biennial Conclave of Delta Sigma Epsilon in St. Louis, Missouri in August. They report an enjoyable and profitable visit. Miss Marguerite Teer, an alumna of Phi chapter, and Miss Annetta Wood, sponsor, were visitors to the Conclave.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Pi Kappa Sigma sorority entertained its members and rushees with a formal open house at the home of Mrs. Joe W. Webb, on Tuesday night, September 22, 1936. The receiving line consisted of Dorothy V. Irion, president of Alpha Delta chapter, Miss Debbie Pinkston, sponsor, and Mrs. Joe W. Webb, an alumna of this chapter. The pouring was done by Mrs. Arthur C. Watson and Mrs. Ora Williamson.

Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma is glad to welcome back Dorothy V. Irion, Rosemary Laws, Bobby Montgomery, Marguerite Hanley, Polly Martin, Margaret Elston, Louise Carpenter, Mildred Bardin, Martha Files, Mary Ida Aycock, Willa Vae Rhodes, Kathryn White, Eleanor Elston, Lynda

Lee Renfro, Billie Parker, Earle Pott, Gussye Short, and Eleanor Williams.

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

Kappa chapter of Theta Sigma Upsilon gave a picnic in honor of its rushees out at Keegan's camp Saturday, September 19. After an afternoon spent in dancing and playing games a delicious picnic lunch was served to all. The guests, aside from the regular members and pledges, included Mrs. Watkins, Mrs. J. E. Keegan, Misses Margaret Claire Watkins, Frances Mae Fournet, Edna Key, Lavelle Cockfield, Mary Almeda Ford, Mercedes Guidroz, Jimmie Jackson, Charlotte Hart, Ida Goodwin, Edna McCardy, Fachtette Murry, Burnadette Dill, Jimmie Straughan, and Miss Hope Haupt, faculty advisor.

Women's Council For New Session Here Is Selected

President And Vice President Named In Each Dormitory On Campus

At a meeting of the women students of the college here last week officers of the various dormitories were elected. From this group was selected the women's council which is composed of the president and vice-president of each dormitory.

At a recent meeting of the council, Marguerite Hanley, of Alexandria was elected president, with Dorothy LaCroix, Colfax, secretary. Other members of the council are Miriam Himel, Mabel Claire Lancaster, Georgie Pickett, Patricia Burke, Jean Johnson, Harriet Hall, and Velma Schexnayder.

The officers in Dormitory "A" are Dorothy LaCroix, Colfax, president; Patricia Burke, New Iberia, vice - president; Chloe Crawford, Minden, secretary-treasurer. Two council members are Clarice Timmerman, Marks-ville, and Freva Webb, Shreveport.

"B" Dormitory officers are: Willie Lou Talbot, Houma, president; Billie Hendrix, Jena, vice-president; Ruth Thomas, Plaquemine, secretary-treasurer. The two council members are Bobby Jean Dark, Winnsboro, and Evelyn Breaux, Church Point.

Dormitory "C" officers are Georgie Pickett, Pineville, president; Dorothy Irion, Benton, vice-president; Leo Cowley, Mansfield, secretary-treasurer. Marcia Durham, Alexandria, and Mildred Smith, Many, council members.

"D" Dormitory officers are: Miriam Himel, Port Allen, president; Mable Clair Lancaster, Tallulah, vice-president; Mildred Bowmen, Colfax, secretary-treasurer; Maxine Locke, Winnfield, and Louise Reed, Lake Providence, council members.

The officers in Dining Hall are: Marguerite Hanley, Alexandria, president; Jean Johnson, Taylortown, vice-president; Polly Martin, Alexandria, secretary-treasurer. Council members are Mary Landreneau, Ville Platte; and Roberta Fluit, Haynesville.

The town girl officers are: Harriet Hall, New Iberia, president; Velma Schexnayder, New Roads, vice-president; Helen Brown, Minden, secretary - treasurer;

Y. W. Outlines Plan For Big Year On Campus

Morning Watch Has Record Breaking Attendance In First Meeting

The Y. W. C. A. of the Louisiana State Normal college is expecting this to be one of the most successful years experienced. The co-operation already shown in the record breaking attendance at Morning Watch, held each morning before breakfast, is very inspiring to the cabinet.

A list of the cabinet members for the session 1936-37 follows: President, Wanda Kuntz, Kinder; vice-president, Hazel McGhee, Ville Platte; secretary, not yet elected; treasurer, Leo Cowley, Mansfield; corresponding secretary, Anna Mae Lamberth, Bossier City; Morning Watch, Lessie Coah, Dubberly; program, Helen Byers, Gilham; prayer meeting, Ernestine Miller, Minden; pianist, Verone Ford, Oakdale; reporter, Mabel Clair Lancaster, Tallulah; house chairman, Jessie Jones, Franklinton; arrangement chairmen, Doris and Dorothy Shell, Winnfield; orphan chairman, Rogenia Green, Newellton; chorister, Clarice Timmerman, Springhill; social service, Helen Sexton, Minden; fellowship, Georgie Pickett, Pineville; social chairman, Miriam Himel, Port Allen; publicity chairman, Maude Dabney, Shreveport.

Five Faculty Members Granted Leaves For Year

Four To Study At L. S. U., One At University Of Chicago

Five members of the State Normal college faculty have been granted leaves of absence to do graduate study this year, it was announced this week by President Albert A. Fredericks.

Miss Esther Cooley will attend the University of Chicago, and Instructors Charles Cunningham, Eugene Watson, Rivers Nesom, and Professor John S. Kyser will study at Louisiana State University.

Miss Cooley, A. B., Newcomb College, M. S., University of Chicago is head of the Home Economics department. Mr. Cunningham and Mr. Watson, of the English department, are both graduates of Louisiana Normal and received their M. A. degrees at L. S. U. Mr. Nesom, A. B., Louisiana Normal, B. S., L. S. U., is of the biology department and Assistant Coach of Men's Athletics. Mr. Kyser, A. B., University of Michigan, who has done graduate work at the Universities of Chicago and California, and abroad, is head of the Social Science department.

Council members are Eloise Coates, Marthaville, and Faye Patrick, Many.

CASTLE BALLYHOO

By W. E. Coyle and Winnie Hilborn

ATTENTION STUDENTS!
This is the official ballyhoo from the Demons Castle. Don't think it will be an I Column like the Dorm News was last year because we are going to try to keep it that way.

If the statements we make are not true we can very easily back out of them.

"Rabbit" Loomis prefers his lady friends to be fat and forty.

Frank Pernici and Steve Harmon couldn't take it when Dog Eason and Dog Gilson took their girl friends. In return they filled the Dogs beds full of water.

We will endeavor to tell you how Sims Jackson lost his little finger. On June 19 several summers ago Sims and a few of his friends were attending a reunion. As they were eating dinner the maid brought in some barbecue. They grabbed so fast for the barbecue that some one stuck a fork in Sims hand, put gravy on it and bit off his little finger before they knew what they had—if you don't believe us just ask Sims.

Haven't you often wondered why Smokie has not been with the cute little blond from Taylortown, La.—We kinda like Buddy Maxwell to.

Believe it or not Alton Wagley is the toughest man from Sabine parish and Sabine parish is the toughest parish in the state.

Heres hoping you will enjoy the ballyhoo column throughout the school year.

Grid Supporters Root In Dark On Demon Field Here

In spite of a momentary dark outlook when all field lights failed at the season's first football booster Friday night, the Normal rooters remained intact and the band kept playing to continue for half an hour one of the most spirited assemblies of the term.

Normal students had half filled the stands for the pep meeting scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m. that night before the opening grid tilt with the "Gents" at Centenary, and the program of cheering, singing, and performing by the band was well under way when darkness covered the campus. Shortly after the seven o'clock bell, however, something went wrong with the field lighting system. All of the giant lamps faded ceremoniously as the band was marching across the field, and an inspiring effect was unconsciously created by the marching white figures, the twinkling brass, mute silence in the stands—then stirring music beneath the stars.

One by one, headlights on automobiles parked at one side of the field were directed towards the band, and the musicians then stood in clear relief against their dark background. Swing tunes were supported by rythmical clapping in the stands. Cheerleaders were given full co-operation.

Later, the band filed off the field and the assembly broke towards the field house and dormitories, singing "Hail to the Varsity!"

Many Expected to Attend Baptist Union Meet Here

Four Hundred Students To Represent Six Colleges At Convention

More than four hundred students from six Louisiana colleges and universities are expected to attend the State Baptist Union Convention to be held here November 6, 7, and 8.

The local B. Y. P. U. is formulating plans for making the convention the largest religious gathering of young people in its history.

Among the colleges to be represented are: Tulane university, New Orleans; Dodd college, Shreveport; Southwestern Louisiana Institute, Lafayette; Louisiana College, Pineville; Northeast Center, Monroe; and Louisiana Technical Institute, Ruston.

DEMONS OPEN HOME SEASON FRIDAY

FROSH SQUAD HERE TO BE STRONG ELEVEN

Imps' Roster Consists Of Experienced Men With Weight And Speed

Second Game Oct. 16

The freshman squad, twenty-three strong are rounding into their fourth week of practice and Coach Mahfouz, the new Imp mentor, is expecting to have the strongest first year squad that Normal has had in quite awhile. The freshman roster consists largely of experienced men, something that has always been lacking on past Normal freshmen teams. The Imps will also carry another great advantage over the past first-year men in that they will have both weight and speed.

In the past Normal has had to develop their players after their matriculation in school. This year the majority of the players have had some experience and this is expected to bolster the college's chances of a good freshman team.

The second game of the season for the freshmen will be October 16 with the first-year men of Stephen F. Austin.

A complete roster of the freshman squad with their position and home is as follows: Centers: Allen, Winnfield; Scott, Natchitoches; guards: Eason, Monroe; Kelly, Junction City; Lyons, DeQuincy; Huson, Mansfield; Windham, Mooringsport; tackles: Miller, Minden; Gentry, Haynesville; Stansbury, Shreveport; Dunaway, Mooringsport; ends: Creighton, Oakdale; Maddox, Haynesville; Benwick, Monroe; Neal, Mansfield; Webb, Coushatta; backs: Gilson, Shreveport; Murrell, Crowley; Riggs, Merryville; Bell, Franklin; Barrilleaux, Franklin; Jackson, Coushatta; Saucier, Eunice.

IMPS DEFEAT WINNFIELD HIGH HERE 21 TO 0

Frosh Score In First Quarter On Blocked Punt; Long Passes Net Other Scores

The Louisiana State Normal Imps defeated Winnfield high Tuesday night by the score of 21-0 on the Normal athletic field in their first game of the 1936 season.

The first score came in the first quarter when Miller blocked a Tiger punt on the five yard line and the Imps covered the ball behind the goal line. Renwick booted the extra point.

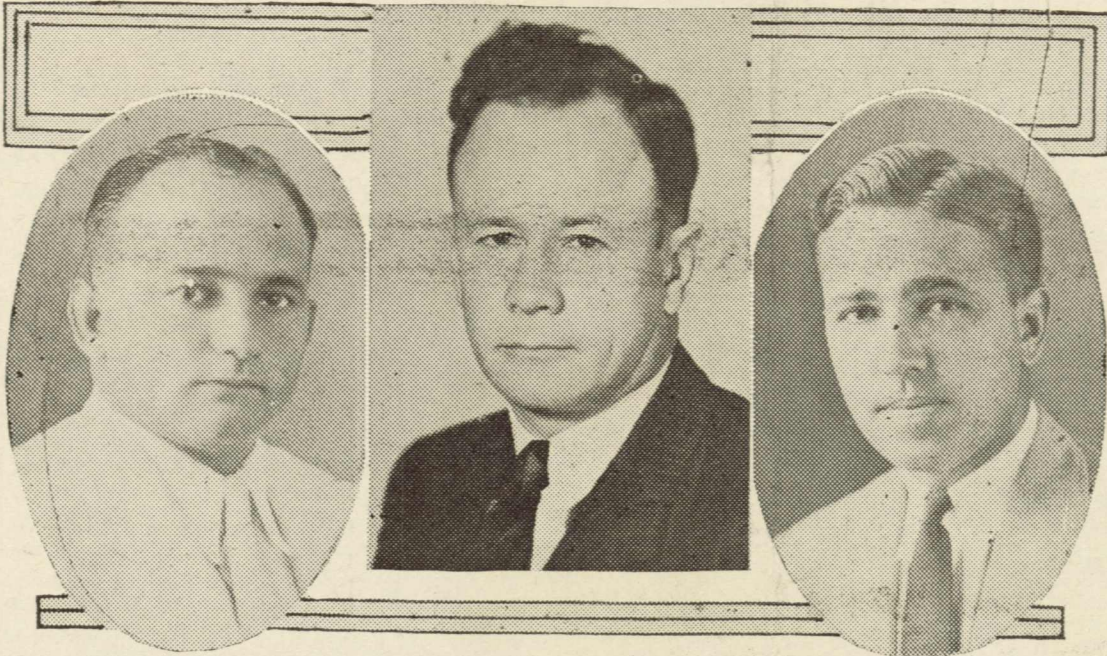
The next two scores came as a result of long passes, both heaved by Bell to Creighton, Imp right end. Creighton raced over the goal line for the last score and lateraled to Gilson for the second after gathering in the throw on the Tiger twenty yard line.

Faith of Winnfield won the favor of the crowd with his passing and punting. He consistently booted the ball for long yardage and was instrumental in the Tigers effective pass offense.

The entire Imp squad played a good game and shows promises of a strong first year aggregation at the Normal college. The next game for the Imps will be on October 16 with the freshman of Stephen F. Austin.

Normal	Position	Winnfield
Creighton	Left End	Davis
Gentry	Left Tackle	Henderson
Lyons	Left Guard	Parker
Allen	Center	Killen
Kelly	Right Guard	Blair
Miller	Right Tackle	McIlwain
Maddox	Right End	Baker
Gilson	Quarterback	Faith
Muriell	Right Half	Barton
Saucier	Left Half	Jenkins
Bell	Fullback	Byett

DIRECT DESTINIES OF GRID SPORT HERE



These three football mentors will direct the activities of the varsity and freshman squads at the Louisiana State Normal College during the 1936 season. Center, Harry Turpin, head varsity coach; right, Joe Aillet, assistant varsity coach; left, Faize Mahfouz, freshman coach. Local football fans had the opportunity of watching the Mahfouz-coached Imps go through their paces Tuesday night in a contest with the Winnfield high school eleven; and tomorrow night followers of the gridiron sport will see the Turpin-Aillet-coached Demons in action.

GRID GRIT

Everywhere on the campus sports enthusiasts are asking: What will the Demons do this year? Is the team going to be good, fair or lousy? Well, nobody can come right out and say what games the Demons will lose or what games they will win, but rest assured the 1936 Normal gridsters will not be lousy. In football anything may happen. Some of the outstanding teams at the beginning of the 1935 football season were among the worst at the latter part of the season.

Therefore, it is the belief of this writer that one cannot predict, with a great amount of confidence, the possibilities of a football team in its schedule. Of course, one can to a certain extent, be correct in his predictions and especially so if the team he chooses to predict for has a good amount of experienced material. However, the above statements have not yet brought us into the core of this author's purpose in writing this article. So, with any further comment, a few facts concerning the 1936 Demons will be presented, leaving it to the reader to determine what possibilities the Demons will have this coming season.

For the 1936 season the Demons will be able to furnish their opponents with the heaviest squad in the college's history. With this weight they will be prepared to use a group of fast, shifty and aggressive ball carriers as well as a number of good blockers. This galaxy of gridsters will number thirty-two. Heading this group of Demons are two of the most capable and efficient coaches located in the small circles of the state football teams. Coupled with this aggregation of football players and coaches one would say very readily and emphatically that the Normal has everything and is in for a great season. Well, yes and well, no. Let's look at the other side of the picture.

As has been mentioned the Demons have a squad of thirty-two. With this squad of thirty-two, they must meet ten strong teams and in the course of this grid routine they are apt to encounter injury to some of the players. Perhaps it is not evident to some of you that this particular occurrence is a great handicap to a team. Not only does it hinder the development of a combination that is all important to a football team, but it also demoralizes the players.

Next to be considered is the fact that the squads the Demons meet will also have the best team that their schools have offered in the past. Football, like most everything else of modern times has been greatly revolutionized, and especially has this been true in the past few years. Everywhere where there is a football team, there have been great improvements. And while we are saying we have the best team in the college's history, they are saying the precise thing in everyone of the schools that appear on the Normal schedule.

Last but not least, is the situation that is all important. That which I have in mind is this: Will the students be behind the Demons. Believe it or not, but that is a great factor in deciding a good and bad football team or for that matter any kind of athletic team. The boys will do their best to keep Normal banners afloat and it is the student body's duty to encourage and show their encouragement by attending the games.

W. A. A. Invites New Students To Enter Activities

Officers For New Year Take Seats At Beginning Of Fall Term

According to a report issued by the Women's Athletic Association every young woman who enters Normal automatically becomes a member of the association, which sponsors all women's athletic activities on the campus. The association invites all members to take part in its various activities.

The officers of the cabinet that will officiate this term are: President, Velma Caston; Vice President, Faye Patrick; Secretary, Ola McDuff; Treasurer, Martha DePrato; Reporter, Margaret Smith.

The activities of the W. A. A. will be carried on by leaders who will be elected within the next week. These leaders will be persons who are representatives of the various sports on the campus. One of the main activities of the association will be the Annual Freshman Picnic—the date of which will be announced in the near future.

To the six girls making the highest number of points by participating in a variety of sports, the club will give Normal sweater awards.

To the new students, the W. A. A. leaders have sent the following message: "Play with us and strive with us to achieve ideals in sportsmanship, teamwork, skills, loyalty and fellowship. We offer you an opportunity to make your days at Normal happier."

From the above resume of the team and the setup for the coming football season, the reader might possibly view the grid situation here at Normal in a different manner. They can be assured, however, that the Demons will be out on the field giving everything they have to keep Normal astride with the football world.

STATE NORMAL COLLEGE SQUAD MEETS SOUTHEASTERN IN FIRST CLASH UNDER ARC LIGHTS HERE

Coaches Turpin And Aillet Drilling Team Hard This Week In Preparation For Game

The Demons open their 1936 home football season tomorrow night when they clash with the strong Southeastern Junior College of Hammond, Louisiana. Last year

LOUISIANA STATE NORMAL COLLEGE FOOTBALL SQUAD

Name	Pos.	Age	Ht.	Jersey No.	Team	Years on	Home
Mixon Bankston	F.B.	23	6'2"	210	64	2	Dry Prong
James Austin	H.B.	21	5'11"	160	37	0	Mooringsport
W. E. Coyle	C.	23	6'	191	57	2	Springhill
Alton Wagley	G.	22	5'11"	180	51	1	Many
Emmett Cope	Q.B.	22	5'8"	170	44	0	Haynesville
Bill James	C.	22	6'2"	168	0	0	Granada, Miss.
Frank Pernici	F.B.	18	5'11"	166	43	0	DeRidder
Walter Ledet	T.	18	6'1"	202	61	0	Abbeville
Bill Hart	E.	22	5'10"	170	39	0	Plain Dealing
Steve Harmon	H.B.	20	5'10"	165	38	0	Waterproof
Marvin Wyatt	H.B.	23	5'11"	170	40	1	Atlanta
Dudley Hillman	C.	21	5'9"	180	60	0	Leesville
Wilburn Slack	T.	23	6'2"	197	59	2	Springhill
Sims Jackson	E.	21	6'1"	180	56	1	Campti
Gerald Couch	Q.B.	23	6'2"	200	53	2	Minden
G. A. Wiggins	E.	21	5'10"	160	0	0	Waterproof
J. H. Scott	H.B.	22	5'9"	150	0	0	Natchitoches
J. C. Elkins	E.	18	6'2"	200	65	0	Minden
T. T. Elkins	T.	20	6'2"	186	53	0	Minden
H. Holloway	G.	22	5'9"	165	48	0	Tallulah
J. B. Maxey	T.	21	6'	211	62	0	Calvin
Jim Hilburn	H.B.	21	5'8"	152	36	0	Bossier City
Charles Matthis	G.	20	5'8"	185	49	1	Mooringsport
Hugh Flournoy	T.	20	6'1"	180	52	0	Haynesville
Charles Loomis	F.B.	22	5'10"	185	50	0	Clayton
Kid Farr	C.	21	5'11"	180	47	0	Winnfield
Wesley Vaughn	H.B.	23	5'8"	166	46	2	Haynesville
H. Smolinski	E.	21	6'	175	41	0	Coushatta
Paul Piazza	G.	21	5'10"	180	58	2	Abbeville
Payne Mahfouz	H.B.	21	5'10"	145	42	1	Natchitoches
E. D. Perkins	E.	18	5'11"	160	0	0	Natchitoches
J. P. Russell	G.	19	5'9"	172	0	0	Urania

the Demons were defeated by the Southeastern aggregation 19-13 in a bitterly fought contest that was not decided until the last few minutes of the game.

DEMONS LOSE FIRST GAME TO CENTENARY 20-0

Shreveport Club Scores First Touchdown On Long Pass In Second Quarter

Hundreds of students, Local Citizens Attend

The Louisiana State Normal Demons opened their 1936 football schedule last Saturday in Shreveport where they met and were defeated by the Centenary Gentlemen, 20-0.

Hundreds of students and local citizens were on hand to witness the Demons hold the Gents scoreless until the latter part of the second period. Up to this time the

Tomorrow night the Purple and White gridsters expect to avenge this defeat but will be faced by an eleven as strong as any they will meet this year. Coaches Turpin and Aillet are well aware of this fact and have sent the Demons through extensive offensive and defensive drills since their game last Saturday with Centenary.

The largest crowd ever to attend an opening game at Normal Field is expected by officials of the college. Football has reached a new high at Normal and in Natchitoches, all of which is expected to bolster the spirit of the Demons and help them to a successful season.

The Demons survived their battle with the Gents without any serious injury to any of their players. Mixon Bankston, 210 fullback is still missing from the squad. An x-ray of his foot revealed a fracture to one of the bones, and he will be unable to be out for three or four weeks.

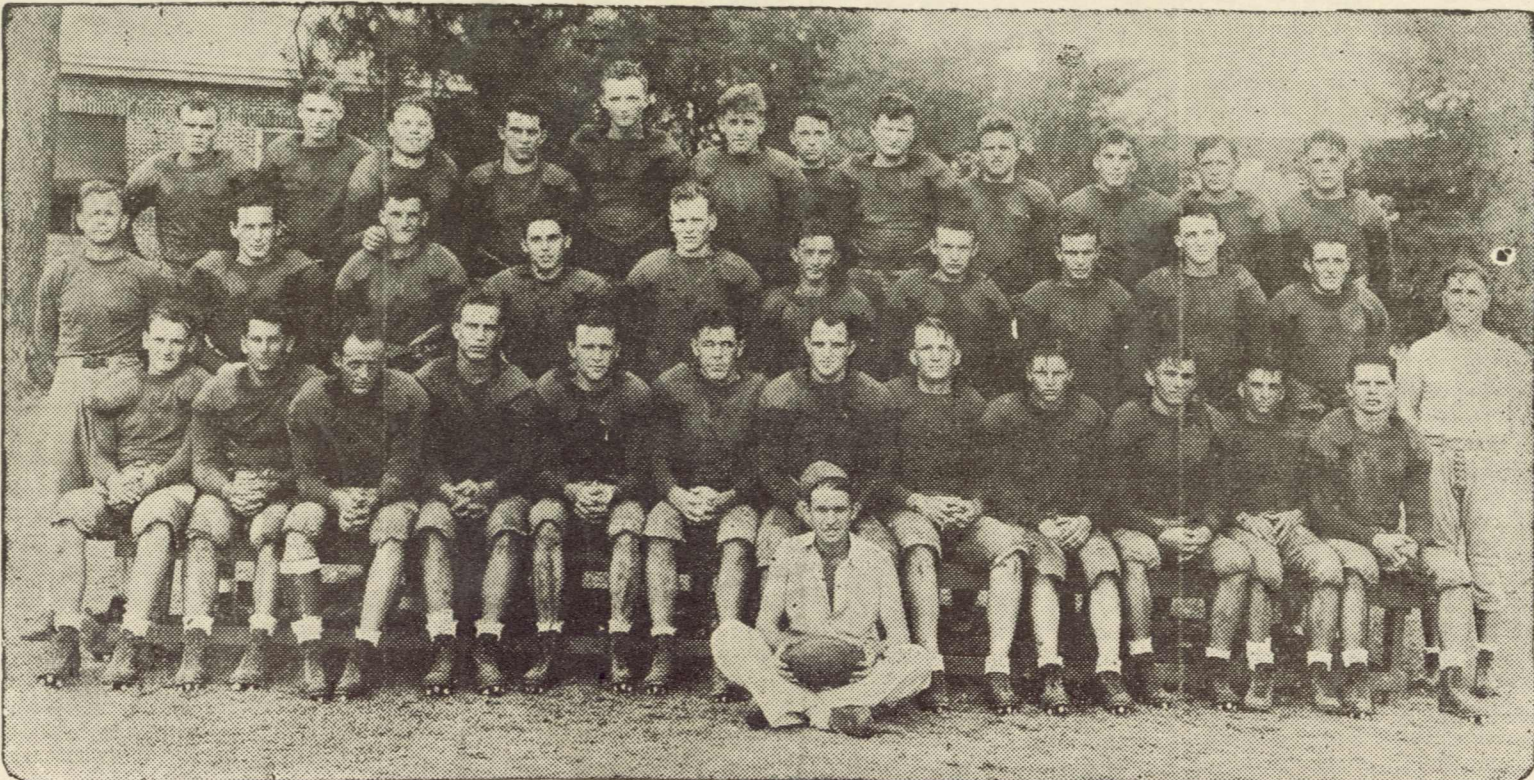
The probable lineup for the Demons tomorrow night will be: Jackson, left end; Wagley, left tackle; Mathis, left guard; Farr, center; Piazza, right guard; Slack, right tackle; Smolinski, right end; Couch, quarterback; Vaughn, halfback; Mahfouz, halfback; Loomis, fullback.

Demons repulsed every effort the Shreveport eleven mustered to penetrate the Purple and White goal line, and but for a very effective pass offense the Gents might have been held scoreless.

The first score came just before the half when Hohman of the Gents raced across pay dirt after taking in a beautiful pass from Stone. It was well into the third period before the Maroon and White were able to counter again. As in the second period another long pass was responsible for the score. The third touchdown resulted from the completion of a pass that planted the ball on the Demons' five yard line where the Purple presented a stone wall and held the drive of the Gents. After partially blocking the attempted punt by the Demons from behind their goal line, the Gents again passed within the shadows of the Normal goal from where they carried the ball over.

Captain Polly Piazza played a great defensive game as did the entire Demon team. Especially commendable was the work of Ledet, Jackson, Flournoy, Slack, and Couch. However, the entire squad played a good game and deserve all the credit in the world.

DEMON VARSITY TO OPEN HOME SEASON FRIDAY



Here are the Louisiana State Normal college Demons who will play the first of four home contests Friday night against the Southeastern eleven of Hammond. The game will be the second of the season for the State Teachers' college squad. The members of the team are, back row, left to right: Hilburn, halfback; Wiggins, end; Mathis, guard; Holloway, guard; T. Elkins, tackle; Smolinski, end; Wyatt, halfback; Maxey, tackle; Russell, guard; Hart, end; Loomis, fullback; Coyle, center. Middle row: Turpin, coach; Hillman, guard; Perkins, end; Piazza (captain), guard; Flournoy, tackle; Scott, halfback; A. Ballard, not on squad; Austin, halfback; J. Elkins, end; Aillet, coach. Front row: Wagley, tackle; Cope, quarterback; James, center; Ledet, tackle; Jackson, end; Slack, tackle; Farr, center; Couch, quarterback; Vaughn, halfback; Harmon, halfback; Mahfouz, halfback; Pernici, fullback. Seated in front, Smith, manager.

College Band

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October 2, 3 and 4 and will probably be booked to give a fifteen minute concert over a national hook-up.

Members of the band who returned for the early practice session are: Clarinets—E. L. Cross, Minden; George Wise, Coushatta; Lois Downs, Mandeville; Johnny Lony, Janie Jeffries, Ville Platte; Virginia Magee, Franklinton; Jack Dew, Natchitoches; N. Bedingfield, Shreveport; A. R. Boydston, Natchitoches; Marjorie Murphy, Cypress; Merrell Raggio, Natchitoches; Eugenia Cross, Minden; Elizabeth Rusca, Natchitoches.

Cornets—Billie Causey, Franklinton; Hugh Cutrer, Bogalusa; Scriven Swett, Natchitoches; Treva Webb, W. O. Jackson, Natchitoches; E. Dezendorf, Natchitoches; Bobby Palmer, Natchitoches; Robert Corkern, Natchitoches; Donald Shipp, N. H. Barnett, Minden.

Saxophones—Marcus Bickham, Mansfield; Jessie Jones, Franklinton; Paul Keyser, Natchitoches; Margaret Hicks, Natchitoches.

Drums—Victor Mulina, Franklinton; Jack Fisher, Detroit, Mich.; Benjamin Shuler, Natchitoches; William Bateman, Franklinton; Edward Frith, Natchitoches.

Trombones — Nolan Cargile, Stamps, Ark.; Harvell Pierce, Franklinton; J. E. Holly, Jonesboro; Lois Clark, Donaldsonville.

Basses—Champ Tyrone, Paris, Texas; Tom Pinckley, Little Rock, Ark.; R. D. Young, Silkes; R. Dezendorf, Natchitoches.

Horns—Billy Dyre, Bogalusa; O'Neal Burnett, Fisher.

Flute and piccolo—Glen Riggins, Little Rock, Ark.

Baritones—Howard Smith, DeRidder; Meredith Cravens, Little Rock, Ark.; Charles Youngblood, DeRidder; J. R. Sherman, Haynesville.

Drum major — Rayford MacLean, Natchitoches.

Ten Teachers Leave

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ences in the high school. Miss Cohen received her M. A. from Columbia University.

Mr. Gayre Bodzar received his B. A. from the State Normal college and is now acting as band master in the high school.

Miss Mary Elise Bridges received her B. A. from the State Normal also. Just prior to the time of her employment here, Miss Bridges served as Parish Supervisor of Schools in Red River Parish for a period of one and one half years. She is now supervising the fourth grade in the training school.

Miss June Cooley has had twelve years experience as a supervisor, four of which were spent at the Louisiana State Normal. Miss Cooley received her M. A. from Peabody Teachers' college. She is now first and second grade supervisor.

F. S. Rankin received his M. A. from Colorado and practically all of his work on the Ph. D. completed at Peabody. Prof. Rankin has had experience as a supervisor of education and psychology. He was at one time head of the Department of Education in the College of the Ozarks. At present Prof. Rankin is seventh grade supervisor.

Mr. W. W. Winstead received his A. B. from Mississippi college. He is supervisor of the manual training department in the training school.

Mr. George L. Parks received his A. B. from Texas Christian University and his M. A. from L. S. U. Mr. Parks has had experience as parish supervisor in Vernon Parish. At present he is fifth grade supervisor.

Local Y. M. C. A. Invites Men Enrolled At State Normal

The Y. M. C. A. extends an invitation to all men enrolled in the college, special invitation being extended to freshmen, to meetings each Sunday afternoon at 1:30. Meetings are held in the Y. W. C. A. House on the campus.

The officers for the year are: President, Robert Easley; Vice-President, Robert Jones; Secretary, D. T. Tarlton, Jr.; Chairman Membership committee, R. G. Pyle, Jr.; Reporter, Edison Stewart; Social Chairman, Woody Hargrove; House Chairman, Chas. Youngblood.

The places of Pianist and Chorister are yet to be filled. All men who can play or sing are urged to attend.

1936 FRESHMAN BEAUTIES CHOSEN



Out of more than 400 freshmen 60-eds who matriculated at the college here last week these eleven were selected as the prettiest in a contest staged by the first-year students at a party given by the college in their honor. Front row, left to right: Virginia Radescich, Winnfield; Leonora Major, Ventress; Mildred Rhodes, (prettiest), Grand Cane; Mary Elizabeth Palmer, Natchitoches; Elaine Chalin, Shreveport. Back row: Marjorie Gaunt, Shreveport; Josephine Tarlton, Natchitoches; Frances Allday, Natchitoches; Edna Key, Bernice; Lucia Alcock, Natchitoches; and Elizabeth Huckabay, Grand Bayou.

Freshman Beauties

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back riding. Blonde sixteen year old Josephine Tarlton enjoys swimming and dancing in addition to piano playing as does brunette Mary Elizabeth Palmer who adds dramatics to her list of interests. Two more brunettes have common interests, same ages, and similar brown eyes for scanning text books when "campus" doesn't engage their attention. They are Lucia Alcock who enjoys hiking, among other things, and Frances Allday who plays tennis for physical diversion.

sion.

Shreveport comes in for its share of beauty with the only redhead of the group—Miss Marjorie Gaunt, graduate of Byrd high, who enjoys a "good time", dancing and tennis despite the fact that she plans to follow the home economics curriculum. Miss Elaine Chalin, seventeen year old two-tone blonde (brunette, to the dopes), also of Byrd, likes Normal, plans to be a commercialite, and tips the scales at ninety-eight.

The unusual combination of brown hair and blue eyes is exemplified by Miss Virginia Radescich, Winnfield, who will also

follow the commerce trail. Miss Edna Key, Bernice and Miss Leonora Major, Ventress, are two brunettes who dance and ride horseback. The former is eighteen and the latter one year younger.

Last but by no means least is Miss Elizabeth Huckabay, blue eyed blonde, valedictorian of her graduating class, swimmer, horseback rider, and tennis player.

Singing Convention

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invited to attend the three sessions. The 60-piece Normal College band will be a featured attraction at

Student Handbook Is Issued Here Opening Of Term

New Rules And Regulations, Student Constitution In Volume

For the first time since the fall of 1933, new students and upper-classmen were issued "Student Handbooks" at the commencement of the fall session.

The handbook, composed of forty-eight pages, sets forth the new rules and regulations as formulated by a student-faculty committee during the 1936 spring term, the student body constitution under which a semi-honor system has been instituted for the maintenance of student discipline and control, and general information relating to college regulations.

Opening pages of the booklet are composed of the "Alma Mater, school and college calendars, pictures of President Albert A. Fred-

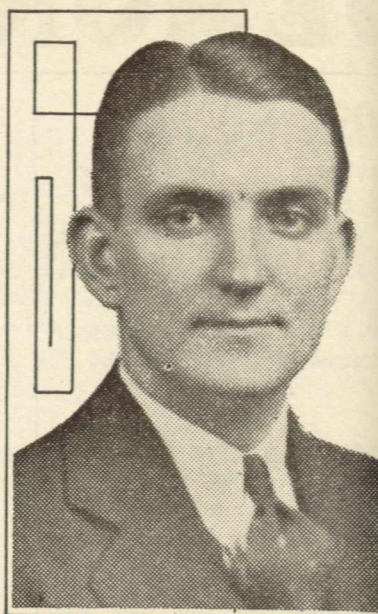
one of the meetings the second day of the convention.

Officials of the convention have announced that admission to all of the sessions will be free and that a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend any or all of the meetings. A light lunch will be served the visitors by the college at noon Sunday.

Officers of the convention are C. C. Crawford of Kilgore, Texas, president; T. J. Johnson of Bossier City, vice-president; and Mrs. C. M. Ingalls of Doyline, La., secretary.

President Fredericks has named the following committee to attend to local arrangements for the convention: O. R. Crew, chairman, R. L. Ropp, Leroy S. Miller, Paul Thornton, H. J. Colvin, L. A. Sims, Dr. J. T. Hooker, G. L. Parks and S. T. Hatcher.

New Music Head



Pictured above is Professor Paul Thornton who became head of the State Normal College department of music at the opening of the fall session here last week. Professor Thornton holds the B. S. degree in music from the State Teachers College of Emporia, Kansas and the M. S. degree from Northwestern University. He has had extensive training in music, music education and general educational methods; and his teaching experience covers the field of public school music from all angles.

ericks, Miss Dean Varnado, dean of women, H. Lee Prather, dean of students, and student body officers.

Authorities state that those students who have as yet not received their handbooks may do so by calling at the Current Sauce office, room 19 in Caldwell Hall, and that "ignorance of the rules contained in the handbook will not excuse students from the penalties invoked for violations of regulations."



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STUDENTS VISIT DALLAS FAIR

Students Will View Showing Of Newsreel

Publications to Sponsor newsreel as regular activity

History will be made, when in a few days, Normal students will view the first newsreel ever made of campus life and other student activities at the college. Made possible by the purchase of the latest 16 m.m. movie camera, magazine type, this new project sponsored by the publications will be a regular feature of their activities. The news reel will be presented three times a term and there will be charged a nominal fee to cover expenses. This project will be unique among the colleges of Louisiana and is still something of a novelty in any college or university in the United States.

The first show which will run for twenty-five minutes will include shots taken in plain and natural color and also slow motion. The subject matter of the first reels will include informal shots of President and Mrs. Fredericks, the Pan-Hellenic Tea, of assemblies, the singing convention, the football team in action, and many other candid shots which will include students and familiar scenes around the campus.

The feature, however, will be two hundred and fifty feet taken of the Dallas trip. These snaps will take in the trip from the leaving of the campus to the return. Students will be shown on the roller-coaster, and the kiddies' cars, some will be seen entering the streets of Paris and the streets of Nations, others are shown attending the band concert, leaving many of the various exhibitions, or merely walking about the grounds. One hundred of these two hundred and fifty feet will be in natural color which in panoramic shots will show the fair in its beautiful array of colors.

Mr. Ropp who is in charge of the project stated that an exact date for the show has not been decided upon as it is not certain when the film will be returned from Kansas and Chicago, stations of developing. "As the process used in developing the natural color film is a slow and difficult one we do not expect the film for at least a week," stated Mr. Ropp.

N. Y. A. Scholarships Total \$2,115 Monthly At La. State Normal

Approximately 145 Students To Profit From Aid By Federal Government

More than 145 Normal students will benefit from the \$2,115 that will be paid out monthly this term by the National Youth Administration, better known as the N. Y. A. This number includes only those students that were on the N. Y. A. last spring, and not the new members that have already been accepted.

Last term one hundred and eighty-eight were employed by the N. Y. A., but due to the graduation and leaving of thirty-nine the number has been reduced to one hundred and forty-nine thus allowing for the addition of new members. These students on the N. Y. A. and those aspiring to join the ranks must maintain a C average, be able to do some form of work as may be assigned them, and must be dependent upon the work to continue their education.

According to Dr. Guardia there is nothing definite on how long the N. Y. A. form of scholarships will last.

"MISS LOUISIANA" AND HER MAIDS



Pictured here are "Miss Louisiana" and her eight maids representing each of the congressional districts in the state who served as sponsors of the Louisiana State Normal college students at the Texas Centennial in Dallas on October 3, when the entire student body of the State Teachers' college attended the exposition. The sponsors elected by the students of the college are: Miss Ottilie Mae Duncan of Alexandria, center, "Miss Louisiana". Top row, left to right, Miss Andrea Armbruster, St. Bernard, first district; Miss Myrtis Sexton, New Orleans, second district; Miss Evelyn Ellzey, New Iberia, third district. Center row: Miss Bobby Montgomery, Benton, fourth district; Miss Martha Files, Oak Ridge, fifth district. Bottom row: Miss Miriam Himel, Port Allen, sixth district; Miss Clayton Love, Deridder, seventh district; and Miss Corry Smith, Natchitoches, eighth district.

Former President Of Normal College Visits On Campus

Mr. Caldwell Renews Old Friendships With Former Students And Co-workers

President Albert A. Fredericks and the Normal college were host to B. C. Caldwell, distinguished educator and third president of the State Normal college, who visited here Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mr. Caldwell, for whom Caldwell Hall was named at the college, was president of the institution from 1896 until 1908. In his brief visit here he renewed acquaintances with many of his old friends who were students and co-workers at the time he was head of the Teachers' college.

Among those whom he visited were Miss Dean Varnado and Miss Martha Felts, to whom the former president referred as "Dean" and "Martha". "Why I helped guide them ever since they were so high," he said, extending his arm out waisthigh.

Miss Wood Invites All Interested To Join Dramatic Club

According to an announcement made this week by Miss Annetta Wood, dramatic director, all students who are interested in becoming members of the Junior Dramatic club but who have done no dramatic work at the State Normal college may become members by attending the first meeting of the club which will be held in the very near future.

In explaining the working of the Junior Dramatic club, Miss Wood stated, "All students, whether upper-classmen or freshmen are eligible to become mem-

Sorority Activities At State Normal College Open With Rush Parties And Pledging

Five Sorority Rush Parties Held In Past Week; Issuance And Acceptance of Bids Made Last Friday

Rush season at the Louisiana State Normal College closed with the formal rush party of each sorority, and acceptance of bids which were issued Friday afternoon at five o'clock.

Alpha Zeta Chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma had the first party of the series. Club Monte Carlo at the Hotel Nakatosh was opened to all Tri Sigma members and rushees. Between dances the wheel whirled fast as the rushees gambled for favors. The guests "wined" on soft drinks and dined on chicken salad, while the noted Monte Carlo floor show went on. The party would have continued into the "wee hours" of the morning had not the policemen raided Monte Carlo and called for the arrest of every rushee.

The second party was given by Theta Sigma Upsilon on September 26, in the Blue Room of the Hotel Nakatosh. The room was decorated carrying out the theme of an old Southern Garden. The members were effectively dressed as old fashioned ladies. The tables were decorated to carry out the theme of the affair. Evening in Paris perfume was the favor presented each rushee. The program was presented between courses in the following order: An old Southern Dance—Miss Happy Keegan; Daisy Roy sang the Theta Sigma Upsilon rush song; the minuet

bers of the club. Membership in the club is the first stepping stone to membership in the Davis Players, senior dramatic club."

was done by the pledges and Kitty Rhorer rendered several vocal selections.

Pi Kappa Sigma had the third formal on the evening of September 29. In the theatre, at the movies, on the radio, one heard the latest tunes, so "Let's Dance" was the inspiration for the Pi Kap rush party. The gymnasium was transformed into a penthouse. On the two sides could be seen the New York skyline against the starlit sky. A modern bar, where cooling drinks were served throughout the evening, was tended by Henry Ford Glass. Under the red and white striped awning a "swing band" held sway. Placed about the floor were the tables each of which was a dance floor with dancing couples and an orchestra. The guests' places were marked with tiny music stands.

During the intermissions Mary Willis gave her interpretation of "Me and the Moon" in a song and dance act. As Sara Whitehead sang an appropriate song, "Pages from a Freshman's Diary" was presented. It included portrayal of her arrival, her first date, rushing and her acceptance, which was carried out by a dance number to a dreamy waltz. A silhouette couple as a plaque was presented each rushee. Novel refreshments were served to all those enjoying the affair. A three-piece orchestra provided the music for the affair.

Alpha Sigma Alpha entertained her guests and rushees with a

More Than Eleven Hundred Students And Instructors See Fair Last Saturday

Special Train Takes Students To Gates of Fair; Returns To Campus Sunday Morning

Aboard the Normal Special, the longest train ever to leave Natchitoches, 1135 students and faculty members headed by President Fredericks arrived at the Dallas Exposition ground at 7:18 Saturday morning, and for one day viewed the Exposition. After the pre-arranged breakfast at the fair's largest restaurant the students and faculty members quickly became immersed in the throngs attending the fair.

As was previously announced by Mr. Ropp in the final assembly previous to the leaving, Saturday was observed as Louisiana State Normal Day and several times

State Normal WPA Project Costs \$65,000

Many Phases Of Work Included In Program On Local Campus

According to Randall B. Fowler, district director for Works Progress Administration of Alexandria, approximately \$50,000 has been spent on a wide program of improvements at the Normal.

Mr. Fowler says, "The landscaping project was started in July and we finished it the last of August. Alteration and improvements to the buildings, however, will take about eight months. The Works Progress Administration began this work in March and we won't complete the improvements until sometime in October."

The project was divided into two phases; one dealing with the work on the sixteen buildings at the college and the other with the landscaping work.

The building project, now nearing completion, included a variety of work. The interiors and exteriors of the buildings were painted. Carpentry repairs, such as replacement of worn stairs, were made. All damaged plaster in the buildings were replaced.

This work also included the improvement and extension of concrete walks about the grounds, and the connection of the college sewer system to that of the city of Natchitoches.

In a letter to Mr. J. W. Crutcher, State WPA Administrator, President A. A. Fredericks, congratulated the Federal Government for not only providing employment for those out of work, but also for doing a high class piece of work. President Fredericks attributes the success of the WPA program to the following:

1. Worthwhile projects, accurately submitted
2. Ability on our part to carry the sponsor's obligations.
3. The ability and leadership of the WPA officials.

Final Enrollment Figures Highest In History Of School

When registration closed for the fall quarter, the official count for all departments was 2274 with 1309 students registered in the college proper which represents an increase of 4.7% over the figure of 1250 last fall.

The high school and the training school, both under the supervision of the college recorded enrollments of 324 and 641 pupils, respectively.

Registration, although officially closed for resident students, is still open for extension and correspondence courses.

Registration figures for the past ten fall terms are: 1925, 1111; 1926, 1046; 1927, 987; 1928, 1124; 1929, 1083; 1930, 999; 1931, 987; 1932, 1152; 1933, 1122; 1934, 1174; and 1935, 1250.

this fact was announced to the patrons of the fair over the loud speaking system. With nothing special in view until 7:30 when the band under the direction of Bandmaster, Gilbert Saetre, was to give a concert in front of the State Building, students used this opportunity to see the various exhibits in the many buildings and also to enjoy the many amusements and midway attractions.

After Professor Paul Thornton had led the Normalites in the singing of the "Eyes of Texas," in honor of the Lone Star State, "Every Man A King," and "My Louisiana," before the huge audience that assembled, Exposition officials extended to President Fredericks official welcome, and conferred on him the honorary membership of Ranger in the famed Texas Rangers. In response to the welcome Mr. Fredericks thanked the officials for their hospitality and added, "It has been a pleasure to attend the greatest fair ever held in the United States." Also at this time Miss Louisiana, Ottilie Mae Duncan, and her maids of honor were presented. Miss Duncan and Miss Bobby Montgomery, a maid of

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Veterans To Form Nucleus Of Debate Squad This Year

Whitener, Aden, Talbot, And Makar Only Veterans Left From Last Year

With four members of last year's varsity debate squad returning this year and a corps of high school debaters enrolled in the college, prospects for another banner year in forensics are bright, according to R. L. Ropp, debate coach.

The squad this year will be weakened by the loss of four members of the 1935-1936 team, Kier Maddox and Dorothy George have both been graduated, while DeWitt Garrett and Henry Ford Glass have not returned. LaVerne Whitener, Dorothy Aden, Willie Lou Talbot, and John Makar form a nucleus around which will be built the new squad. Prospective freshmen are: Bertha Crowder, Anita Bahan, and Betty Dowty. Miss Crowder and Miss Bahan were the state high school debate champions last year.

The proposition for debate this season, as sent out by Pi Kappa Delta, national debate fraternity, will be, Resolved: That Congress should be empowered to fix minimum wages and maximum hours for industry. At the first meeting, which will be held this week, information concerning the question and plans for the future will be given.

Mr. Ropp, coach of forensics at Normal, announced yesterday that four members of the squad may be sent to the debate conference held at Southern Methodist University in Dallas. Similarly squad members may attend the Kansas tournament in Winfield early in December. "This year it will be one hundred and twenty-five instead of ninety-seven debates," said Mr. Ropp.

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IN APPRECIATION

The Current Sauce, as the official publication of the student body, wishes to take this means of expressing the appreciation which the student body at large feels toward President Albert A. Fredericks, the administrative staff, and those faculty members who helped make possible the Centennial trip of last Saturday.

In making possible this trip, the administrators showed unusual foresight and planning ability relative to the desirability of such a trip from the educational benefits to be derived. Many students who viewed the fair had never been out of the confines of their own state nor had they ever had occasion to make a similar trip with no transportation charges to them.

Were it the policy of the Current Sauce to offer flowers in the manner of a well-known New York columnist, we would be inclined to send a bouquet to President Fredericks, and to Mr. R. L. Ropp who made all arrangements for the fair and who now has spent the major portion of this week in bed as a result of sickness contracted by the run-down condition of his body after the worry and strain of the trip.

WHAT OF THIS?

(Editor's note: This letter was submitted for the student opinions column but because it has struck a note which is of current interest we print it in the editorial column without comment. The Current Sauce does not take sides in whatever controversy may arise by the publication of this letter and will gladly give as much space to an opposing view.)

Dear Editor:

Once again the student body has had occasion to witness a series of farce elections which have resulted in the promotion to important class and student body offices "fraternity and sorority hand-picked-officers", whose only claim to these positions is the fact that they were the only available material within said societies.

As this writer understands it, announcement of the proposed class election is not made until a short time before the meeting so that some rival group, not in the known, will not have time to muster up a voting majority. The announcement is made only within the dining hall which eliminates the bus students and town students who represent a large proportion of the student body. Each group nominates a candidate, nominations are closed, and then the chairman demurely states that we will vote on the candidates in the order of nomination (provision having been made to see that a certain candidate is nominated first inasmuch as the standing vote brings most people to their feet on the first ballot); the loyal supporters of candidate X rise with gusto and apparently induce others who are interested in democratic government to do likewise (not realizing that they are just being led by the nose by those who profess to be their friends merely for a vote.)

Candidate X is elected, accepts the applause of his cohorts, and then proceeds to put on the appearance of importance as he follows the same procedure for the other offices.

Apparently the chief and only purpose of the secret societies on this campus is to see how many petty class offices each can get for itself with as few opposing groups as possible. I realize that this letter will bring about a lot of ill feeling toward me but if the groups affected by the criticism offered will analyze the facts they will notice that everything stated is the plain truth. We town and bus students seldom hear about a class election until it is all over or until some "smiling and patting-you-on-the-back" fraternity dope comes around and asks for your vote. If this is the only purpose of the Greek letter clubs on this campus, then I suggest that we do away with them and have a "Joe Palooka for President" club which would bring the same results as those aimed at by the Etas, Thetas, and Zetas—at least we would know what the club is organized for instead of the so-called social purposes which they claim is their aim.

It is not my purpose to criticize the many fine people who are found in these groups, but when they tolerate such actions and are led by such principles as their organizations seem to maintain, then I feel that they should start cleaning their own Augean stables.

F. R.

CASTLEBALLYHOO

By
W. E. Coyle and Wennie Hilborn

This is Station LSNC—The Wind
of The Demons Castle

Captain Paul Piazza, and Captain Stoner Moss made an agreement before school started that they would take the other to the show if they had a date. It passed along fine until the girls came back. Piazza could not take it when he saw a cute little girl from South Louisiana walking along on the campus, so Moss was first to collect a show. Since then they are breaking even on the shows.

Wilburn Slack has a one track mind, you can see by this little article. Slack walked into an Education class the other day, unbuttoned his shirt and had one shoe off before he realized he was not in the varsity dressing room.

It is much harder for Gerald Couch to get his name in the paper since his frat brother (Henry Ford Glass) does not write anything for the paper this year. We do not belong to his frat.

The new rule that was made in the Castle only affected Steve Harmon, because no one else is dated on week nights anyway.

The students that went to the Texas Centennial did not have a thing on the football team, because they went to the Columbia County, Arkansas Centennial. The team had a much better time, because they won a football game, and ate steaks instead of eating hot dogs and came back home with some money.

"Dummy" Russell needs a date book so that it would be possible for him to know who he has a date with. Russell and "Frankenstein" Flournoy kinda like the same girls.

Reports from the Centennial trip are that Bobby Neal can sling the hoofs better than Fred Astaire.

On the return trip from the Centennial John D. Bell must have walked in his sleep, for he woke up in the wrong place and had to make a quick exit.

If our column is not better than the "Dorm Dope," we will gladly resign—hoping the student body will be the judge.

Treble Clef Club Holds Try-Outs At First Meeting

Try-outs were held at the first meeting of the Treble Clef Club, coed singing organization of the campus, to usher in another season of exceptional singing programs for the current season.

The officers of the club are: Roberta Fluitt, president; Ethel Good, vice-president; Nelwyn Beddingfield, secretary; Louise Voorhies, treasurer; Maxine Corbitt, librarian; and Elvira Beasley, reporter.

Many of the old members were there ready to continue their work of last year. Try-outs were given to a large group of girls who wish to become members of the club this year. The Treble Clef Club is planning a program of singing this year which it is hoped, will afford pleasure to themselves and others.

POTPOURRI PICTURES

All freshman pictures must be made this week. All juniors and sophomores who wish to have their pictures in the year book are urged to have them made as soon as possible. Students in 2-2, 2-3, and 3-1 classes are classified as juniors. All above are seniors.

In Memory of
TALMADGE
BRADFORD
Who Drowned
August 22, 1936

DORM DOPE

By
ROOM 220

The latest and most modern suggestion is one brought to our attention from "Battle Row" by none other than the master mind of Rufus Kennedy Walker, who hails from Pollock. His suggestion is that the newly installed Sprinkler System is not merely for the extinguishing of fire, but for the "Hot" political season which is ahead of us.

In order to make Dorm Dope a permanent feature, we must mention the name of the sober-minded "Dog" Pratt. Oh, Editor!

The dogs this year are blessed, especially with good looks. Among the highest rating of these are Dogs: Herman, Emmons, Bradley, and Piccolo. (They are blessed with everything but brains.)

We note that "Bing" Collum is again among us with his melodious crooning voice and is rooming in the No. 1 room on "Battle Row" with Poodle-de-doo Purcell.

GIRLS! Herbert "Bernie Moore's Ace" Sayers has decided to settle down to the quiet life of the Normal campus after L.S.U. could find no place for him, because Tinsley, All-American end has improved. (Or was it Petticoat Fever that brought him back.)

A very peculiar sort of court has been established on the lower hall. It is for the purpose of trying and convicting those Lochinvars of the campus caught engaging in a bit of nectar-sipping. It is understood that court was held recently for the purpose of trying Casanova Lindsley.

It is commonly known that Kerwin Donaldson is from the country but we wish that he would not remind us of this by promenading down the hall about midnight trying to wake up all the city guys when he arises. Hold it down, Donaldson!

Frolic is frolic, boys, but sincerely let us keep wild animals out of each others places of rest.

Among the brilliant minds in Mrs. Hayes' domain is that of Charles Cook. A sort of Bob Burns understudy.

If the Shack Court continues, President Easley will be known as "Judge" Easley.

In closing, news is brought to you that direct from a Minden Opera Co. comes the Operatic voice of Red Mitchell. (Red, please confine it to Opera Houses.)

Wagner Library Given To College

In disposing the estate of Mr. Charles E. Wagner, deceased professor of education at the Normal college, Mrs. Wagner presented the major portion of his professional books to the Training School and college libraries.

In a letter to President Fredericks in July, Mrs. Wagner stated that she had intended to reserve the gift until the college library had been moved into its new building, but upon leaving her home here to reside in Baton Rouge, an immediate disposition of the library became necessary.

The gift consists of about 200 readers, geographies, and teachers' manuals, suitable for the Training School library; about 175 reference books usable in college classes in education; about 100 pamphlets; and about 125 back numbers of education magazines. Mrs. Wagner's aim is to present only such material as will be useful to students and faculty; she has asked, therefore, that Miss Hammitt, Mrs. R. B. Williams, and Mr. Alleman appraise the material and discard that which cannot be used.

The material was taken from Mr. Wagner's den in his home and from his classroom in Warren Easton Hall. Mrs. Wagner feels that to pass on to the students of the Training School and the college the tools which Mr. Wagner used in his own work constitutes a very fitting memorial. It is as a memorial that the gift will be accepted.

SORORITY AVERAGES SPRING 1936

Theta Sigma Upsilon.....	2.70
Pi Kappa Sigma.....	2.65
Sigma Sigma Sigma.....	2.65
Alpha Sigma Alpha.....	2.59
Delta Sigma Epsilon.....	2.55

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

What with all the new freshmen, beginning a new term, and rush season, a column should be easy to write, but just try it sometime.

Since there seems to be some sort of an old adage about saving the best till last and since columnists have made it customary to present scallions and orchids—we shall begin with scallions.

A whole bouquet of the things to a certain freshman who is trying to take the campus and everything on it by storm. Maybe it's because he was a high school football hero with one of the larger prep schools of the State last season.

We like the combination of Jimmie Jackson and Roy Emmons.

What's happened to the Rafoord McLean-Louise Carpenter affair? We should say something about Rafoord and little Magee but we don't know what to say.

We wonder if Red Mitchell is filling the void left in Daisy Roy's life when Bill Charleville left school last spring?

Can it be that Dorothy Aden and Edward Frith are "that way" again?

It looked good to see Billie Parker and Lawrence Lindsley together again on the Centennial trip.

It looks as though Polly Piazza may not be so lonely this year after all. We like Willie Lou Talbot, too.

Who is the girl on the campus who takes the fraternities by rotation and wishes there were

more?

Is it true that because of the undiplomatic tactics of two sophomore "big shots", practically all the freshman football team pledged a rival fraternity?

Who were the freshmen who said, when asked, what the Phi Kappa Nu Sorority was having a meeting in the Field House?

Ask LaVerne Whitener what she meant when she said the boy friend from Winnfield wasn't coming back "to court."

What is this about Isobel Page almost forgetting to go to the Centennial? They say she likes these Jackson boys.

One of those affairs that started during summer school and still looks good to us is the Thelma Hickman-Allen Lee set-up. And speaking of Allen reminds us that Bobby Montgomery has not been seen around so much this year. Is it because she'd rather stay in with her dreams of that new S. L.?

We've just been told that we're high-schoolish. After all, we've been out of high school only three years. What can one expect in so short a time?

We wonder why Herb "damm Yankee" Sayers' signature got such a prominent place in Charlotte Harts' coat.

Orchids to Henry Ford Glass for being general handy man to the sororities during rush season.

And now we're resigning. We know this is lousy, but it just took this to prove to us, that as columnists, so are we.

GREEK NOTES

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

Kappa chapter of Theta Sigma Upsilon announces the acceptance of bids by Berna Dittie Dill, Marjorie Butler, Virginia Ridge, Edna Key, Lavelle Cockfield, Katherine Baker, Margaret Clair Watkins, and Fauchette Murry.

Theta Sigma Upsilon held its fourth tri-annual convention in Colorado Springs, Colorado this summer. Those attending the convention from Kappa chapter were Myrtle Pine, Margaret Watson, Myrleen Cope, Mildred LaCaze, Alma Dezendorf, Miss Hope Haupt, and Miriam Himel. Kappa chapter is happy to announce that she won the plaque for scholarship for the second consecutive time.

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon announces the acceptance of bids by Fay Forshee, Elaine Chair, Eleanor Hughes, Sammie Hill, Frances Allday, Wilma LeGendre, Ruth Welsch, Sara Fryar, Marjorie Gaunt, Lois Phillips, Agnes Crosley, Willie O'Quinn, Martha Wilson, Bertha Brown, Emmie Lou Dabney, Pauline Hunter, Gloria McGinty, Katherine Kearney, Eloise Major, Jewel Broussard, Enez Monlezun, Catherine Roy, and Martha Effie Hall.

On Monday afternoon, September 20, the members of Delta Sigma Epsilon entertained with a Bingo party at the home of Miss Kathryn Brown. Prizes were offered for each game.

On Monday night, September 27, Miss Annetta Wood, advisor of Phi chapter entertained the members and rushes with a very enjoyable "Knock-Knock" party.

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

Alpha Zeta chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma is happy to announce the acceptance of bids by the following: Jimmie Jackson, Charlotte Hart, Mary Ford, Mary Bell White, Ann Waldron, Mary Elizabeth Palmer, Mildred Bowen, Kennie Lee Stafford, Mary Elizabeth Tanner, Winonah Edwards, Eloise Arden, Annie Laurie Poe, Mercedes Guidroz, Jane Callahan, and Virginia Radescich.

LAMBDA ZETA

Lambda Zeta fraternity announces the pledging of Leonard Pratt, Robert Gimbert, Yves Solleau, E. A. Lee, Jr., Dale Lee, Adolph Lee, Cyril Johnson, E. D. Perkins, Morgan Harkins, Lynn Cook, Preston Duncelman, Scriven Swett, "Red" McCain. The officers for 1936-1937 are

Paul Piazza, president; W. O. Jackson, vice-president; Sam Aaron, treasurer; Gerald Couch, Sergeant-at-arms; and James Tassin, secretary.

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

A buffet supper was given for the rushes on September 23, at the homes of Ruth Estelle Alcock and Mannette Swett. The annual cabin party was given at Mrs. Wagner's cabin on Cane River on Sunday, September 27.

Alpha Sigma Alpha announces the acceptance of bids on October 2, by Muriel Gunther, Joe Tucker, Patricia Mallory, Eileen Broyles, Doris Long, Mildred Rhodes, Freva Webb, Frances Mae Fournet, Claire Hargis, Lucia Alcock, LaVerne Killen, Josephine Tarlton, and Virginia Magee.

SIGMA TAU GAMMA

As the 1936-37 fraternity year of the Nu Chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma opens under the presidency of Robert Easley and forty active members, Tau is proud to have pledged thirty-one new men. They are as follows:

Burnell Webb, Willard Jackson, E. H. Gilson, F. C. Eason, John Renwick, Edmond Saucier, Theron Maddox, Steve Holstein, Snookie Peyton, Terrel Huckabay, Glen W. Riffin, Elton Kelly, Meredith Cravens, Billy Dyre, Jesse Peyton, Clarence Greer, A. J. LaFleur, Harry Creighton, Melvin Bradley, Frank Herman, Chester Slay, Oliver Jeannsonne, Thomas Pinckney, Edward Frith, Max Smith, Roy Emmons, Hugh Carter, R. D. Young, Nolan B. Cargell, Jim Denman, and Bryant Allen.

The Sigma Taus held their first "stag" party of the year following the Normal-Southeastern football game held here two weeks ago. Because of adverse weather conditions, the "Hot Tamale" Festival was held in the Men's Gymnasium instead of on the shores of Chaplin lake as originally planned. Ninety-six men were present including members, pledges, guests, and visitors. Among the guests were Mr. Mathis and Mr. Austin of Mooringsport, who traveled to the Normal college for the game, and Mr. Paul Thornton, music director of the college, and a Sigma Tau Gamma from the Delta Chapter at the Emporia State Teachers' college in Kansas.

GRIDMEN TO PLAY WILDCATS FRIDAY

DEMONS OUTPLAY MAGNOLIA A. & M. FOR FIRST WIN, 6-0

Only Score Of Game Comes In Last Minute Of Play

Normal college Demons returned from Arkansas Saturday morning with their first victory of the current football season when they defeated Magnolia A. & M., 6-0 the night before.

Displaying an impregnable defense and an offense that repeatedly carried them into scoring position, the Demons showed superiority over the Arkansas eleven throughout the game.

The only score of the game came in the last minute of play. Normal gained possession of the ball on the Muleriders 20 yard line where the Arkansas eleven had made a poor kick out of bounds when they punted from behind their goal line. On the first play, following their recovery of the ball here, Harmon, Demon half, dropped back and shot a pass to Perkins, who leaped high to snag the ball and carry it over for the score. Ledet's kick for the extra point was wide.

Previous to their touchdown, Harmon had moved the ball down to the two yard line on a thirty yard jaunt around right end, where the ball went over to the Muleriders on downs.

Demons Kick-off

At the beginning of the second half the Demons received the kickoff and carried the ball from their own twenty to the Muleriders' fifteen where an incomplete pass into the end zone on the fourth down gave the Muleriders the ball on the twenty. Wyatt's deceptive open field running and Loomis' hard line driving was responsible for the Demons' sixty-five yard march.

The only threat to the Demons goal line came as a result of a fumble recovered by Magnolia on Normal's twenty yard line. After three plays had lost five yards, the Muleriders passed into the end zone where the ball was knocked down by the Demons' defense.

Improvement Shown

The Normal club showed a decided improvement over their game with Southeastern, both offensively and defensively.

Ledet and Piazza were outstanding in their defensive work. Loomis who played the entire game deserves special credit for his offensive and defensive playing. "Blondy" Elkin played his first varsity football game and displayed promising ability for development into an outstanding tackle. Couch, Cope, Wyatt, Vaughn and Harmon as well as the entire Demon club played a heads-up game.

Phi Kappa Nu's Entertain Guests

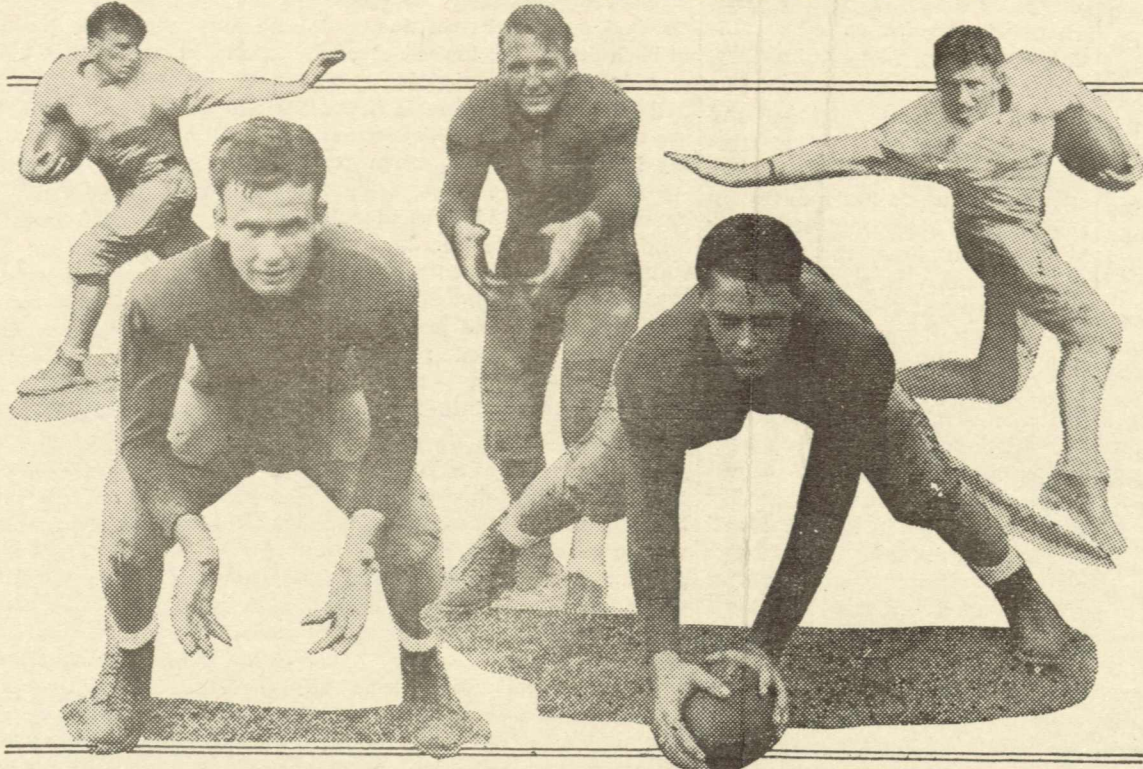
Phi Kappa Nu fraternity activities started last week with an informal get-together and "Smoker" attended by almost a hundred people including active members, pledges, social guests and guests of honor. The party was held in the Field House where sandwiches and cold drinks were served for refreshments.

The gathering was welcomed by Harold Smolinski, president of the fraternity, who introduced Dean Johnson of Benton, former athletic star at Normal who was the first Phi Kappa Nu pledge and one of its earliest presidents.

At a meeting held this week plans were briefly outlined for a theatre party to be held in the near future. Arrangements are also being made for more social activities for the fraternity this year in an effort to emulate last year's program, it was announced by President Smolinski.

Other officers of the club for the coming season are: Sims Jackson, vice-president; Walter Ledet, secretary; Emerick Noone, treasurer; Raymond Szczesul, reporter. In the tentative list of pledges released last week are: Jack Fisher, William Blateman, Roy Gentry, Hampton Murrell, Truette Sledge, Wayne Sledge, Collier Smith, John D. Bell, Kelley Barrilaux, Ed Cawthorne, Edmund Smart, Gladstone Lynch, Bob Riggs, Billy Parker, Bill Hamilton, Dutch Mosley, Bill James, Donald Shipp, and Dan Lyons.

A QUINTET OF NORMAL MAIN STAYS



Top row, left to right, Payne Mahfouz, halfback; Gerald Couch, fullback; Marvin Wyatt, halfback. Bottom, James Austin, halfback; W. E. Coyle, center

W. A. A. Changes Handbook Rules: Elects Officers

Election of sport leaders and a complete revision of rules and point system in the Women's Athletic Association handbook are taking place in the realm of women's sports at the Normal college according to information submitted by W. A. A. leaders.

The leaders elected for the present year are: Faye Patrick, baseball and handball; Dovie Ford, volley ball; Isobel Page, dancing; Lucille Carpenter, baseball; Sarah Afeman, track; Mary Ida Aycock, soccer and hockey; Martha DePrato, hiking; Margaret Smith, tennis and swimming; Velma Caston, ping pong and badminton; Melba Bernard, tennis and horseshoes; Norma Pitts, archery.

In a revision of the rules it was decided that a club will be organized in each dormitory and sorority and other organizations of the campus. Intramural competition will be played exclusively. Through this competition points will be given and sweaters awarded. One person may join as many clubs as she chooses but must be active in all she enters.

Euthenics Club Elects Officers

At the first meeting of the Euthenics club held last week, in the Dining Room of Science building, committees were appointed and plans were formulated for the coming year.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Ruby S. Dunkelman, sponsor, and Miss Hazel McGhee of Ville Platte, president, the club hopes to have one of its most active and prosperous years of its history. The other officers are: Miriam Himel, Port Allen, vice-president; Ottie Mae Duncan, Alexandria, secretary; Jean Hall, Lake Charles, treasurer; Doris Shell, Winnfield, reporter.

Dramatic Club Elects Officers

The following officers were elected by the Senior Dramatic club at a meeting held Monday, October 5, 1936: President, Payne Mahfouz; Vice-President, Marcia Durham; Secretary, Margaret Groves; Sergeant-at-arms, Patricia Burke; Business manager, Wortley Flagg; Stage manager, J. L. Collum; Reporter, Martha Ann Hall.

A discussion of types of plays to be enacted during the coming dramatic season took place after the election. Several proposals were made for the creation of interest in attendance at plays sponsored by the club.

The club voted to have regular meetings at 6:45 p.m. every other Thursday night beginning next Thursday. Miss Annetta Wood, sponsor of the club, stated that a meeting will soon be called for all students who are interested in dramatics and wish to become members of the Junior Dramatic club.

GRID GRIT

Cat fur, dust, footballs and what have you will permeate the air tomorrow night when the Demons lock horns with the Louisiana College Wildcats in Pineville.

Of all the games the Demons play during a football season, the one that brings them to war with the Cats tops the list in interest and rivalry. From the first day of practice in the fall, the one objective predominant among the squad is to beat Louisiana College. Last year the Purple and White colors were dropped twice in favor of the Orange and Black, the score being 12-6 on each occasion.

Tomorrow night the Normal squad intend to avenge these defeats and present the college with a victory and complete another step in redeeming their defeat two weeks ago in their opening home game. They believe that by beating the Wildcats and Millsaps, whom they play next week in Jackson, they will again instill the confidence that was so evident before their defeat by Southeastern; and when they meet Tech here another large crowd will be on hand to back the Demons.

The only basis for comparison between the two teams is in their encounters with Centenary. The Cats were defeated 21-0, and the Demons 20-0, by the Gents. However, previous showings nor any other football statistics can be applied in determining the outcome of the game between these two clubs. This game is a battle of a traditional character; a feud that pales the Kentucky specials; and Friday night the feud resumes. When the battle is over, and only the shouting remains, this writer believes it will be the supporters of the State Normal college doing the shouting.

MEET THE DEMONS



STONER MOSS



PAUL "POLLY" PIAZZA

Moss was elected captain of the 1936 football team but will probably be out the entire season due to an appendix operation. Stoner is a senior and in his three years as a Normal gridster has made an enviable record. Moss is regarded on the field as an excellent blocker and defensive man.

The Demons will miss Moss's service more than can be expressed. Stoner is a resident of Lake Charles, La., and is a graduate of that city's high school.

Piazza is the Demons co-captain. He plays guard on the Demon eleven and is considered one of the best to represent the purple and white in a long while. He is especially noted for his excellent defensive work. "Polly" is also a senior and much is expected of him in aiding the Demons to a successful season.

"Polly" is from Abbeville, La., and an Abbeville high graduate.

Class Officers Elected Last Week

At class meetings held last week, officers for the four classes were elected for the 1936-1937 session.

Those elected as officers were as follows: Senior class—President, Stoner Moss, Lake Charles; Vice-President, Wesley Vaughn, Haynesville; Secretary-Treasurer, Velma Caston, New Orleans; and Miss Winters, Sponsor.

Junior Class—President, James Merritt, Bossier City; Vice-President, Bill Loftin, Martin; Secretary-Treasurer, Marcia Durham, Alexandria; Sponsor, Mr. Thornton.

Sophomore Class — President, Emmitt Cope, Haynesville; Vice-President, Gordon Wiggins, Wa-

terproof; Secretary - Treasurer, Myriam Breaux, Houma; Sponsor, Miss Sarah Ragland. Freshman Class—President, E. H. Gilson, Shreveport; Vice-President, Steve Holstein, Winnsboro; Secretary-Treasurer, Annie Laurie Poe, Alexandria; Sponsor, Mr. Colvin.

PICTURE YOURSELF AT

DUNCAN'S

FOR PHOTOGRAPHS THAT PLEASE

DEMONS SEEK TO AVENGE TWO DEFEATS SUFFERED AT HANDS OF FOES YEAR AGO

Bankston, Slack, Jackson and Pernici Will Be Back In Line-up; Team At Full Strength

With their first victory of the season tucked in the bag, the Demons move to the Louisiana College stadium tomorrow night where they hope to make it two straights and send themselves on the road to the championship of the Little Four.

Tomorrow night they will be seeking to avenge the two defeats handed them last year by Louisiana College. The Cats have not forgotten the Demons string of victories that prevailed over a period of five years which was snapped last season, and will be fighting to extend their string

of conquests over the Purple and White to three consecutive wins. With these two elements prevailing, there is sure to be some action on the Pineville field tomorrow night.

In winning their game last Friday the Demons displayed a lot of power and fight. During the past week of practice, they have continued to show this fight and against the Wildcats tomorrow night they will be a team symbolic of their name.

The Cats have another strong team this year, and even though they have not as yet won a game, they always feel delighted to commence with the Demons. In Payne and McClellan the Cats have two fast shifty backs who are sure to give the Normal team plenty of trouble. Their line is composed of seven veterans—five seniors, one junior, and one sophomore.

For the first time this year the Demons will be at full strength. Bankston has returned to the team after being out since the first week of the fall practice. Slack, Jackson, and Pernici who were not able to see service last Friday night will be ready to go against the Cats.

The team leaves for Pineville tomorrow evening at five o'clock. A large delegation of supporters is expected to follow the team.

IMPS TO MEET LEESVILLE HIGH

Imp gridsters are preparing to defend the Normal goal line against the invasion of the Leesville high school eleven on Friday night, October 16. Having won their opening game by shutting out Winnfield, the Imps intend to follow-up the remainder of their schedule with straight wins.

Besides offering his freshman squad to the varsity for use in scrimmages and play practice, Coach Faize Mahfouz has been drilling his boys daily in the fundamentals and deeper technicalities of the game. The squad is put through such toughening practices as vigorous blocking, tackling, and running. The Imps have become so toughened, that some have been expressing their yearning for rougher treatment from the varsity men during the scrimmages.

Also scheduled for the freshman eleven is a game here against the freshmen of Stephen F. Austin Teachers' college of Nacogdoches, Texas, and later they will meet the first year men from Tech, Southwestern and Louisiana College.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

WHEREAS, the infinite Creator has summoned from his earthly labors our friend and co-laborer in the field of education, Professor George Williamson,

WHEREAS, Professor Williamson labored more than fifty years of his long and useful life in the field of public education in Louisiana, which work included over a third of a century in the Louisiana State Normal College,

WHEREAS, Professor Williamson was accepted as an authority in the field of his specialized learning,

WHEREAS, his high character, his generous disposition, his lovable nature endeared him to students and faculty and friend alike. Each group has lost a friend and has lost the stimulus of his fine example. A place is vacant that it does not appear can ever be filled. A scholarly gentleman, a master teacher, a devoted laborer in the cause of education has answered the final roll call.

THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Louisiana State Board of Education that we hereby express our admiration of and respect for his remarkable service and unmeasured value in the Cause of Education, and our deep regret at his passing. His loved ones we can only commend to Him who doeth all things well. His fellow teachers and former students we point to his illustrious example.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copy of this resolution be supplied the family of Professor Williamson, copy spread on the minutes of the State Board of Education, copy on the records of the State Normal College and copy to the press of the state.

J. Luther Jordan
Eleanore H. Mead
W. A. Montgomery
Committee

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

WHEREAS, in the death of Mr. George Williamson on January 10, 1936, the State Normal College and the State of Louisiana have suffered a great loss, and

WHEREAS Mr. Williamson had given more than a half century of service to the public schools of Louisiana and to the State at large, and

WHEREAS his interest and research in the history, paleontology, and archeology of Louisiana have enriched the general knowledge and culture of the State, and

WHEREAS this interest has resulted in a highly valuable collection of historical documents, fossils, and Indian artifacts now housed in the Williamson Memorial Museum at the State Normal College, which collection will con-

Dallas Trip

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honor, and also the Sweetheart of the campus, were made honorary Rangerettes.

At nine fifteen Normal was extended another courtesy, when students were allowed exclusive use of gate four into the Cavalcade, a retrospection of 100 years of Texas independence and achievement. Thorough the loud speakers immediately before the presentation, the Cavalcade was dedicated to all Louisiana State Normal students. From the Cavalcade students hurried to the train, and a history making trip was completed, when the special arrived at the campus at six thirty on Sunday morning.

Sorority Activities

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Blue Moon party in the women's gymnasium on Wednesday, Sept. 30. The walls and ceiling were covered with blue, studded with silver stars. A silver crescent moon shone through the blue sky. An ivy covered balcony overlooked the scene which carried out effectively the theme of the rush party. The members wore blue costumes spangled with silver stars.

A dainty course of refreshments was served and the program consisted of songs, readings, and dance numbers.

"A Garden of Lost Songs" was the scene of the formal rush party of Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon, which took place Thursday night, October 1, in the girls' gymnasium. The gym was decorated as a garden with fish pond at the end. Members dressed in costumes representing "once popular" songs. The floor show consisted of a Russian dance, a military tap dance, and numerous song numbers by Henry M. Hyams.

Coty vanities were presented to the rushees as favors. Several sorority rush songs were rendered at this time.

THE NORMAL TRIP HAD ONE ON BARNUM

Most of the Normal Centennial goers are by now healed of the aches received on the trip and today are cherishing fond recollections of their visit to the "greatest show on earth." Those who had a "swell" time, both in seeing the exposition and trying to get on their shoes Sunday morning, have voiced delight that all was (s)well.

When the Normal special chugged to a stop in front of the college campus, Sunday, the sleepy students, chuck full of their experiences, dragged themselves out of the train just as the orange sun was beginning to peep above the horizon. Since 9:30 p.m. Friday, they had traveled about six hundred miles in the train and had covered unestimatable miles

to instruct and inspire future generations, and

WHEREAS his culture and genial personality have influenced thousands of students and friends to commune with nature, to seek beauty in all things, and to live richer lives, now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED by the Louisiana State Board of Education that we hereby acknowledge our great debt of gratitude for Mr. Williamson's life of service, that we commend his life to the students and the faculty of the Louisiana State Normal College and to the citizens of Louisiana, that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to his family and friends, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the Louisiana State Board of Education, that a copy be sent to the press, that a copy be sent to the family, and that a framed copy be presented to the George Williamson Memorial Museum.

Respectfully submitted by committee

Signed:

Alvin Good
Paul Weiss
Martha Feltus
Leroy S. Miller
Augusta Nelken
W. J. Avery

by foot on the Dallas fair grounds, where they visited varied exhibition of science, history, industry, and entertainment.

After three weeks of plans and ballyhoo, culminated by a summarizing assembly of songs, instructions, and fatherly advice in the Caldwell auditorium half hour before train time, the students and chaperons were in a jovial mood. President Fredericks led the applause after Mr. Ropp, director, publicity manager, and general "daddy" for the trip, announced that the boys and girls would be permitted to mingle throughout the entire train till 12:30 a.m.

Humming the tunes that they had just sung in the Caldwell auditorium, many of the students were at the track when the Deisel engine idled around the bend east of the campus and stopped nonchalantly about a quarter of a mile past the street crossing with its end cars still blocking the street. Each student had predetermined which car he would occupy, but the situation was made more complicated when identifying posters were placed incorrectly in some cars.

Cheers rose above the sound of the engine as the train started to roll away towards Dallas, and as the campus faded out of view, a mouth organ was heard in one of the cars emitting the strains of "Casey Jones" in palpitating rhythm with the increasing speed of the train. College customs were carried out to the "T" by upperclassmen who "falloffed" freshmen for no reason. An unreasonable amount of time was taken to check passenger lists, and objections were raised against the segregation, till 11:15 p.m., of male and female students. The train stopped several times to cool a "hot-box" that heated because of friction of an air brake on a wheel. "This could have been caused," remarked a conductor, "by someone who pulled the emergency cord stretched through the cars. But I think it was caused by something else," he added.

When all cars were unlocked

after the passenger lists were checked, a general rush was made in both directions, toward the few cars in front occupied by males and toward the 13 female boarding cars in the rear. This circulating lessened, however, when gossip circles were formed, friendly games started and musical solos rendered voluntarily by slide whistle player and mouth organist. While lights were dimmed in some cars, soft hands and pretty heads rested on calloused palms and brawny shoulders. Hazy eyes gazed admiringly into the hazier depths of others.

Food was already in demand. The few who unpacked lunches became suddenly popular. They were eyed enviously, and agitated appetite nerves pranced about in stomachs expired of food by the stimulating, steady jolting of the train.

The seats that came closest to resembling beds were the inclinable back type, but those reminded one of the chairs used in barber colleges to seat subjects for undergraduates' practice. As a matter of fact, all of the seats had a brisk coat of bristles that alone could keep one awake. Other chairs were not even adjustable, and the problem of how to keep from falling forward was solved in some cases where students supported their chin on their knees or put their legs on the chair in front of them. Others slumped down in the seats and leaned against each other. Where two seats faced each other, unique arrangements were made by groups of four girls whereby each would rest her head on the lap of the next in a circular formation. This looked most comfortable. Still others curled-up into a ball shape in an effort to sleep.

Between 3 a.m. and 6 a.m., there was almost a total lack of activity, and less than an hour later, breakfast was being prepared in the Falstaff Tavern. Queen Elizabeth, who gave a democratic speech of welcome to the Normal delegation, while breakfast was being prepared,

looked as though she had made the long trip from Natchitoches, rather than the students. Yes, Lizzie looked as though she had taken the awful beating that the Normalites had on the train.

In an hour, or two, after a few hogs were slaughtered and some eggs were gathered from the hen yard, the ham and egg breakfast began to be served slowly throughout the tavern. The coffee, that is, the first cup was like some strange mixture of tea, postum, and a bit of chickory. The second had a slight resemblance to the coffee of dear old Louisiana. And those who were fortunate enough to have received fruit juice, told the others how good it tasted.

After the Falstaff Tavern and "wait-fast", some students decided to get off to a good, inexpensive start by entering the "Free Exhibit of the Holy City." When they came to the exit gate, a husky woman softly demanded a donation from everyone, and had a look in her eye that said "You can't get out of here without paying." This was discouraging, but others who were more familiar with the customs of religious organizations endeavored to get their inexpensive start by registering in a booth. All that they did was to sign their name and address on a scroll of paper, and the girl in charge demanded "fifteen cents, please, for your guide book and catalog."

Then there was the Boy Scouts of America Cabin exhibit with a sign in front that read "No Charge for Entrance or Exhibit." "At last we have discovered a truly free exhibit; the Boy Scouts are doing their good turn daily by conducting their exhibit at no charge to the visitors." That at least is what several of the Normal delegation thought as they entered the cabin, but once inside, they were foiled. In the center of the cabin, between the free entrance and the free exit, were piled ten cent books on scout lore that you couldn't pass without making a purchase.

However, there actually were

entertaining features that collected no toll. The electrical building proved to be a popular spot for Normalites. Long distance telephone calls were allowed to supply numerous dialogue for the persons who listened through extension receivers all along the wall of the telephone room. "Hell'o mamma", was heard from several Normal delegates. In the same room at the telephone voice repeater, students found out how bad their voice sounds through a telephone; then they went into a booth to discover by means of a test that they were hard of hearing. After this, they talked to a syllable scrambler that made their high tones sound low and their low sounds high.

After this, they were ready to take a rest, but as time was limited, effort was preserved by riding in the Bowen sight-seeing bus, or in a "coolie" cart that flips its riders indignantly when it is operated by a familiar driver. The midway received its share of Normal delegates, and the "Streets of Paris" was no exception. Reverting to actions of their earlier years, popular youngsters of the Normal campus were seen on the merry-go-round and in the revolving kiddie's automobiles and fire-engines.

In the evening, "Daddy" Ropp was running around the Cavalcade grounds with such aggressive-ness, in order to secure seats in one section for the Normal delegates, that he is still recovering from a nervous reaction. When the pavilion was darkened, hundreds of people were too sleepy to keep eyes open, and every time a shot was fired in the performance, someone in the stands jumped or said in their sleep, "Who in h— is making all that noise?"



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Hundreds Expected For Home-coming

Hundreds Expected To Attend B. S. U. Convention Here

Long List Of Speakers To Appear On Three Day Program

More than 400 students from six colleges and universities are expected to attend the Louisiana Baptist Student Union Convention to be held in Natchitoches November 6, 7 and 8, under the auspices of the B. S. U. council which is formulating plans to make this the largest and most successful religious gathering of young people in its history.

The spiritual note which will direct the gathering of young men and women and state leaders is sounded by "The Will of God," keynote for the convention. Plans for the conference call for a broadcast of the sessions, securing of an electric organ, and presentation of a series of musical and silhouette backgrounds for devotional periods.

Guest Speakers

Speakers expected to be present are: G. Kearney Keegan, L. S. S., B. T. U., and B. S. U. secretary; J. D. Gray of Denton, Texas; O. B. Webb, railroad official of New Orleans; Everett Gill, Jr., pastor of St. Charles Baptist church, New Orleans; C. K. Djang, Chinese Mission student of Louisville Seminary; Robert Flinn, four-year president of Texas B. S. U. and now pastor of First Baptist church of Natchitoches; and Frank H. Leavell, secretary of student work of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Among the students who will render a large part of the program are: Robert Palmer, state B. S. U. president; Robert Morton, state B. S. U. vice-president; Marie Durham, state B. S. U. vice-president and president of the local B. S. U.; Mary Lea Oxford, president of B. S. U. at L. S. U.; Clifton Harris, president of B. S. U. at Louisiana College; George Mitchell, president of the B. S. U. at Tulane.

ATTENTION WOMEN STUDENTS

Because of the significance of the official purple "N" to those persons having earned one through participation in the W. A. A. athletic program, all girls are asked to remove all letters from sweaters bearing insignia of other school or purchased. The W. A. A. reserves the right to remove any letters from those persons not obeying this notice. The W. A. A. asks full cooperation so as to save embarrassment to those not complying with this request.

(Signed) Velma Caston
President, W. A. A.

Physicist Talks On Fellowships

Dr. R. L. Mooney, physicist of Newcomb college, New Orleans, was presented by Miss Inez Allen to faculty members and invited guests on Tuesday night, Oct. 29. Dr. Mooney, a presentation of the Louisiana State Normal College branch of the American Association of University Women, made a talk on the value of fellowships and research work.

Dr. Mooney in her lecture gave numerous illustrations, showing how science has improved the world of today. She says, "Many times a person does not know why he is studying certain phases of sciences. It is not the work of one man but of many that has given us the conveniences that we of today know. Many pieces of research that formerly seemed utterly useless have proved to be most valuable to modern civilization. It has brought radio, electric lights, x-rays and many other inventions known to modern industry."

TO PRESIDE OVER HOME-COMING



Pictured above are the sweetheart of the football team and her court who will reign over the annual home-coming festivities at the Louisiana State Normal college today when the Demons of the State Teachers' college clash with the East Texas Teachers' Lions of Commerce, Texas. The royal party will be introduced to the football crowd prior to game time when they take their seats of honor to rule over the contest. The queen and her attendants will also lead the grand march in the annual home-coming ball in the women's gymnasium tonight. The football sweetheart and her maids were named by the varsity squad at the State Teachers' college last week, each senior on the team making a nomination. The sweetheart of the team and queen of home-coming festivities, Miss Willie Lou Talbot of Houma, is pictured at center. Members of her court are, upper row, left to right: Miss Ruth Lee, Oak Grove; and Miss Geraldine Lyons, Mccringsport. Below: Miss Eloise Welborn, Merryville; Miss Marie Zuelke, Port Vincent; Miss Jimmie Gray, Colfax; and Miss Jo Jo Tucker, Leesville. Hundreds of alumni of the college are expected to return to the State Teachers' college campus for the annual festival today.

Sixteen Speakers Report For Debate For First Time

Men's Team To Be Sent To Kansas Early In December

The first debate meeting of the season, held last week in Social Hall by Mr. Ropp, debate coach, drew sixteen aspirant debaters and four veterans. Although only four new men reported at the first meeting, the women were well represented by twelve. Around last year's veterans: Willie Lou Talbot, Dorothy Aden, LaVerne Whitener, and John Makar the new squad members will serve to form the men's and women's squads.

According to Mr. Ropp a men's squad will be sent to Winfield, Kansas to attend the annual debate tournament held there. This tournament, which will be held on the 6th and 7th of December, is one of the largest held in the United States. This team, which as yet has not been named, will tour Kansas and Oklahoma and will be joined on the 11th of December by a women's team from Normal. Together they will attend on the 11th and 12th an inter-collegiate forensic tournament at the Oklahoma College for Women in Chickasha.

Already the question for debate, which is, Resolved: That Congress should be empowered to fix minimum wages and maximum hours for industry, has been discussed by Mr. Ropp and the prospective debaters. According to Mr. Ropp, all material necessary for preparing the debate question has been ordered and soon the debate squads will be in action.

New members added to the squad to the squad are: Marjorie Crowder, Marjorie Davis, Lullie Nabors, Elnora Fincher, Betty Dowdy, Fred Berkowitz, Anita Baham, Laura Loftin, Bertha Crowder, Bobbie Wise, Corinne Sills, Pat Murphy, Al Rodriguez, John Norris, Frances Allday, Sammie Rosaline, and Eloise Aden.

Peace Movement Introduced Here

In special assembly groups and before students in personal conferences, Stewart Wright of Vermont, representative of the Emergency Peace Campaign, emphasized the need of organization for peace instead of war on the campuses of the country.

In his talks, Mr. Wright outlined the following five point program for peace furtherance in the coming year: one act plays depicting peace; Armistice Day program; out-of-town speakers interested in peace; programs with panel speakers; and group conferences.

A temporary chairman for Louisiana in the movement will be elected by the L.S.U. group in the near future. Plans call for the organization of a group at the Normal college which will carry on the work of the Peace Campaign after it ceases functioning at the end of one year.

Aden Announces Potpourri Staff

Dorothy Aden, editor of the 1937 Potpourri, announced principal members of her staff as follows: Georgie Pickett and Willie Lou Talbot, assistant editors; and John Makar, business manager.

Miss Aden requested this week that all students cooperate with the staff by having their pictures made as soon as possible so that work on the yearbook, which will be one of the largest in years, will not be slowed down. Seniors (3-2, 3-3, 4-1, 4-2, 4-3) are urged to have pictures made in cap and gown this week.

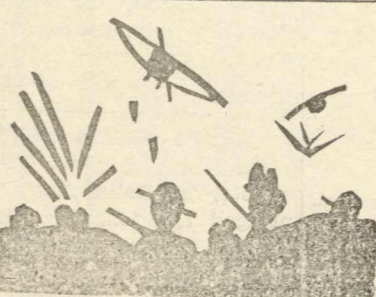
The Potpourri studio is located in room C19 of Caldwell Hall. Pictures are being made daily, except Sunday, between 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m., and 1:15 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Class pictures must be made before sorority and fraternity snaps will be taken.

Campus Presents War-time Front With Trenches Under Foot, Mud On Heels And Airplanes Overhead

Trenches being dug all over the campus; airplanes droning overhead; trains roaring; whistles blowing; bells ringing: these circumstances and actions surrounding Normal stimulate in the imagination a picture of WAR ON THE CAMPUS. Peace meetings were being held in the auditorium and Social Hall in an attempt to rouse the students against the inevitable battle that, it seems, may burst out at any minute here.

Students were warned by a modern Paul Revere, a youthful peace missionary, who hitchhiked here from New Haven, Connecticut, with the message that the tree of war is falling and that we should get out of the shade and into the light; that we should discontinue our study of sociology and economics and philosophy in order to apply what we have already learned from the subjects so that we may avert the



inevitable war.

And Still They Come

This modern Paul reminded us that things are not as red as Hearst and McFadden paint them. He reiterated that Normal students must realize the gravity of the present situation and that he is a traveling speaker, who, incidentally, likes baked beans with potatoes and puts on his tie before pulling up his suspenders each morning. While he was speaking, airplanes still droned, (Continued on Page 4)

Football Game To Feature Home-coming Festivities Which Begin With Early Registration

"Sweetheart of the Football Team" to be presented as "Queen of Home-coming" with Six Maids Between Halves of Game

Between three and four hundred alumni of the State Normal College are expected to return to the campus today to participate in the fourth annual fall home-coming activities which start with registration at the Social Hall early in the day followed by the Demons-Lion football game at 2:30, the "N" club Banquet after the game and the "N" club dance at 8:30 in the Women's gymnasium.

According to Leroy S. Miller, secretary-terasurer of the L. S. N. C. Alumni Association, this is expected to be the largest fall-term home-coming since its inception four

Players Select 'The Tower Mystery' As Term Play

At a meeting of the Davis Players, senior dramatic club of the college, held Monday "The Tower Mystery" was selected as the term play for presentation some time in November.

The play contains as its chief source of interest a mystery setting with humorous dialogue interspersed with "thrills and chills." The play has its setting in an old castle tower in France with characters ranging from a deaf mute, to a vampire with a mad woman, a playwright, and several straight characters included.

Officers for the current session are: Payne Mahfouz, president; Marcia Durham, vice-president; Margaret Groves, secretary; Patricia Burke, sergeant-at-arms; Wortley Flagg, business manager; J. L. Collum, stage manager; Martha Ann Hall, reporter.

Men's Glee Club Elects Officers For Coming Year

Plans Call For Making Four Or Five Tours To Neighboring Towns This Winter

The members of the men's Glee club of the Louisiana State Normal in a recent meeting elected the following officers: E. L. Cross, president; Meridith Cravens, vice-president; Charles Youngblood, secretary-treasurer.

Plans are being made by this organization for a tour to surrounding towns during the first part of December. Four or five such tours will be made during the winter. It is hoped that it will be possible to appear at four high schools in one day—two in the morning, one in the afternoon, and a concert at another in the evening. All members will appear in tuxedos at the concerts.

Mr. Thornton, head of the Music Department and director of the glee club states that the club has splendid possibilities as good material has tried out. The Band, Girl's Glee club, Men's Glee club and other organizations now being formed will compose a major musical organization to appear before every high school in the state within the next two or three years.

Members of the Men's Glee club are: First tenors—Z. T. Craft, Howard Smith, J. E. Holly, Meredith Cravens, Jack Malone, Clark Pouncey, Jack Fisher, Harvell Pierce; second tenors—Francis Herman, Travis Gore, Nolan Cargile, J. L. Collum, Glen Riggan, George Wise, E. L. Cross, W. L. Tanner, Donald Shipp; first bass—John Norris, Lewis Norris, Newton Barnett, Oliver Jean-sonne, Melvin Bradley, R. G. Pyle, Hugh Cutrer; second bass—Champ Tyrone, Herb Sayers, Charles Youngblood, Bill Causey, J. R. Sherman, Charles Duprey, Miller, R. D. Young, Talmadge, H. I. Mitchell, Paul Brown, Winston Johnson, and Paul Powell.

STUDENTS TO ELECT ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

There will be an important Student Body meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the fifth period. The purpose of this meeting is to elect the student administrative staff of the college during the annual state teachers' meeting which will be held in Monroe on November 19, 20, and 21.

Power Plant To Be Ready In December

With more than ninety percent of the trenches dug for steam-heat pipe installation, A. K. Miller, engineer in charge of constructing the heating unit here, believes that the Power Plant work will have progressed sufficiently for installation of all boilers by December 4. In another division of work, the sewage disposal system of the college is being converted so as to connect with that of the city of Natchitoches.

Newman Club Features Talks

Under the leadership of Paul Piazza, president, the Newman Club of the Normal college has inaugurated an extensive program featuring lectures on different phases of Catholicity for the benefit of Catholic students of the college.

Among the recent lecturers were Father Huber who spoke on the benefits to be derived by college students from participation in religious activities, and Mrs. Doris Pierson who lectured on the Cathedrals of Europe and how their condition reflected the religious sentiment of the time in certain European countries.

One of the Sisters of the Catholic Church of Natchitoches is scheduled to speak to the members of the club this Sunday.

Tentative plans of the club call for an initiation ceremony for new members to be held about Nov. 8.

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WELCOME GRADS!

Another year has lapsed since the last fall Homecoming! Throngs of Normal grads will return to be again the guest of their dear Alma Mater. Although this is only the fourth annual fall home-coming, football season seems to make this an appropriate time for such an occasion. It is at this time that old grads renew friendships and meet the new frosh, all of which goes to make the spirit of home-coming such a jovial and much looked forward to meeting.

A PAT ON THE BACK

The adverse criticism commonly hurled at the conduct of modern youth especially as it is represented in college circles was given a set-back it we are to judge by a letter recently sent to all members of the State Board of Education by an official of a railroad company. The letter, a portion of which we reproduce below and which speaks for itself, was evoked by the conduct of the students of the Normal college on the recent trip to Dallas:

"I feel sure that the College officials will bear me out in the fact that from a transportation standpoint the services rendered were excellent; however, the real intention of this letter is to advise you as to the conduct of the student body on this trip. For twenty years or more it has been my duty to accompany special trains of this character, and it gives me a great deal of pleasure to state that I have never handled a better behaved party of college students than were those on this train. I did not see one act of mis-behavior on the part of any person on this train, not five cents worth of damage was done to the equipment which is quite a record to make with something like 1200 young college people on board. The discipline maintained by the faculty was perfect. In other words these young people acted as perfect ladies and gentlemen.

"It just occurred to me that the members of our State Board of Education would be glad to receive reports of this kind. Human nature makes most of us too quick to tell of the things that go wrong and too slow to give credit where credit is due. So, it gives me a great deal of pleasure to make this report to you on the conduct of one of our great state institutions.

"Yours very truly,
"(Signed) J. W. Turner"

GIFTS TO THE GIVER

That students of the Normal appreciate the efforts of President Fredericks in making the trip to the Texas Centennial possible was exemplified in their presenting him a handsome piece of luggage and a pipe, which were purchased by small contributions made by each student who went on the Normal "special." The presentation of these gifts by the students is indicative of the fine spirit of friendliness existing between the students and the administration.

In appreciation of the gifts and the feeling in which they were presented, President Fredericks addressed the following letter to the officers of the student association and members of the student body:

"I want to express to you my great appreciation of your thoughtfulness in presenting to me the handsome piece of luggage and the Keywoodie pipe. The pipe has already afforded me a great deal of pleasure and I am looking forward to the first opportunity when I may use the bag.

"Aside from the beauty and usefulness of these presents, I shall cherish the fine spirit which prompted your thought of me, and it is with sincere thanks that I accept from the students of the State Normal College these gifts.

"The bag is on display in my office and I shall be glad for any of you to come in and see it, in case you have not had an opportunity to do so."

"Uncle" Jack's eyesight must be getting bad, judging by the lights which have been installed under certain trees on the campus. The electric wires didn't reach far enough to get to the entrance gate, so the benches there were removed. "The path of true love never runs smooth."

One for Ripley: Social hall has "male" and "female" stairs—try going up the wrong one some day.

CASTLE BALLYHOO

By

W. E. Coyle and Wennie Hilborn

We notice that Alton Wagley's girl (Marjie Corley) is wearing a diamond ring these days. . . . Chalk one up for the "Bruiser." Gerald Couch has asked us to tell all his Normal girl friends not to flirt with him this week-end for his home town girl is coming down. . . . Is this sufficient Gerald?

Dog Merrell was so sure the freshmen boys who cut their hair would lose their girl friends that he followed them around all day in hopes that he might substitute. . . . How am I doing sug?

The girls must like these Yank-ees for Bill Hart had two girls his week-end—and are they crazy about him—so he says.

"Iron Man" Loomis's complexion changed to a glowing pink when a couple of Mississippi nurses were examining the muscles in his arm.

The "Great" Buddy Maxwell was on the campus again this past week-end—Just looking things over.—How does that suit you Buddy?

We have heard that girls go for the strong silent type. If this is true Billy Parker had better watch his step before he gets mobbed by the nine hundred Normal girls.

We hear from reliable sources that Bill James is the S. L. of several girls—How about giving him a break Bill?

Every time Gordon Wiggins gets lonesome, he gets his roommates. (the two Elkins Brothers) to play him some Hawaiian Blues.

SORORITIES AND FRATERNITIES

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Pledges of Alpha Sigma Alpha have elected the following officers: President, Josephine Tarlton; Vice-president, Mildred Rhodes; Secretary, Doris Long; Treasurer, Lucia Alcock; Editor, Eileen Broyles. Alpha Sigma also announces the pledging of Frances Mae Fournet, Josephine Tarlton, Doris Long, Muriel Guenther, Patricia Mallory, Joe Tucker, Claire Hargis, LaVerne Killen, Freva Webb, Eileen Broyles, Lucia Alcock, Mildred Rhodes, Virginia Magee, and Mildred Smith on October 13. On October 19 Marie Hearne, Oattie Mae Duncan, Roberta Fluitt, and Mildred Smith were initiated.

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

Theta Sigma Upsilon announces the formal initiation of Verone Ford, Melba Vickers, and Gertrude Slimer.

The pledges of Theta Sigma Upsilon elected the following pledge officers for the Fall term. President, Velma Caston, Vice-president, Martha DePrato, Secretary, Edna Keys, Treasurer, Bernadette Dill, and Reporter, Katherine Baker.

SIGMA TAU GAMMA

The Nu chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma is proud to announce the pledging of four new men into their organization. The new Taus are Gordon Stansbury, Hugh Cutrer, Benjamin Shuler, and Billy Brooks. The addition of these men brings the total number of pledges for the fall term to thirty-five, and the total pledge roll to fifty-four. Initiation of older pledges will take place within the next two weeks. The pledge officers for the year as elected at the last regular meeting are Frank Eason, president; Roy Emmons, vice-president; Elton Kelly, secretary; and Harry Creighton, sergeant-at-arms.

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

On Thursday night, Oct. 8, Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon pledged the following girls: Fay Forshee, Elaine Chalin, Marjorie Gaunt, Martha Wilson, Pauline Hunter, Enez Monlezun, Jewell Broussard, Gloria McGinty, Eleanor Hughes, Frances Allday, Sammie Hill, Ruth Welsch, Sara Fryar, Katherine Kearney, Lois Phillips, Agnes Crosby, Willie O'Quinn, Martha Hall, Wilma LeGendre, Catherine Roy. Eloise Major was pledged October 15.

On Saturday evening, Oct. 10, Ducournau's camp was the scene of a very enjoyable party, given by Mrs. Alfred Ducournau and Mrs. O. W. Traber for the members and pledges of Phi chapter. A very entertaining program of

DORM DOPE

By

ROOM 220

"Dog" Fisher and his girl friend undertook the other night to show Uncle Jack how Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers tap up and down marble stairs, by demonstrating on the stone steps near the Science Building. Then in turn, Uncle Jack showed them a few steps.

Lynn Powell is worse than a woman about changing things. He has rearranged his room again.

It is announced with great pleasure that Joe Colquette has improved 100 per cent since the last shack meeting. Only one rampage per week now for Joe.

Wayne Givens, the campus playboy, on attending the parish fair, was persuaded to ride the ferris wheel. He states, "The greatest thrill was getting off, in fact, it was the only time I was glad to be down and out."

Herb Sayers is thinking of joining the army since Mansfield girls think the soldier boy uniform he wears looks so cute.

"Judge" Easley is considering studying for the ministry. (He's having preacher trouble.)

BAND NOTES

At last the secret of the recent strange actions of the band has come to light. We have been wondering why the members have been so "wrapped up" in themselves for the past two weeks.

News from the band "Camp" tells us that they have been the midst of one of the most severe political campaigns in the history of the organization. There has been great excitement in the selection of a "Sweetheart". The honor finally came to rest on Miss Mary Ida Aycock of Franklin, Louisiana. Band members are very enthusiastic over their choice of this very attractive addition to the organization. It has been voted that she make all band trips, and participate in all band activities.

For the first time, officers have been elected and appointed. They are: President, Billie "Bugler" Causey, Franklinton, La.; Vice-president, Benjamin Shuler, Natchitoches, La.; Reporter-Secretary, Charles Youngblood, DeRidder, La.; Property man, Tom Pinckley, Little Rock, Ark.; Librarian, Jessie Jones, Franklinton, La., and last but far from least, the little maestro himself, Gilbert T. Saetre, Bandmaster, who won by a large volume of boo's. The maestro was elected since one had never been officially elected before.

Impromptu stunts were given by the pledges. Later in the evening pantomimes were given by groups of pledges and actives. A delicious supper of chicken and spaghetti was served. Guests other than members were Mesdames Mattie Breazeale, C. C. Stroud, Lorraine Brittain, Sherwood Burgdorf, Misses Annetta Wood and Georgene Hughes.

Miss Ruth Welsch, a pledge of Phi chapter, was selected "Miss Natchitoches, 1936" in a beauty contest which took place at the Natchitoches Parish Fair October 13. She will represent the city at the State Fair in a contest for the title of "Miss Louisiana."

PI KAPPA SIGMA

The pledges of Alpha Delta Chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma held their first meeting Wednesday night, October 14. The following officers were elected: Ann Butts, president; Ann Lancaster, vice-president; Yvonne Godfrey, secretary; Margaret McDuffie, treasurer; Elizabeth Reeves, music director; and Lulu Pearle Honeycutt, press agent.

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

Alpha Zeta Chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma announces the formal pledging of Mildred Bowen, Winonah Edwards, Mary Ford, Mercedes Guidroz, Mary Elizabeth Palmer, Annie Laurie Poe, Mabel Lee Ragan, Virginia Radesch, Kennie Lee Stafford, Mary Elizabeth Tanner, Ann Waldron and Mary Belle White.

The pledges of Alpha Zeta Chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma elected the following officers for the fall term. Winonah Edwards, president; Annie Laurie Poe, vice-president; Mildred Bowen, sec-

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

Even though we don't pronounce our r's and often times show a distinct southern drawl, we shall try to interest all of "you all" instead of just giving lowdown on a few high-ups. We'll begin with the "big shots" on the campus. . . . It seems that Jean "Taylortown" Johnson misses her good-time Charlies, or does she prefer love by correspondence? . . . Johnnie Makar is taking a great deal of interest in the freshmen this year. Don't let it go to your head freshmen, he still has his hobby of collecting photographs of two senior beauties. . . . We wonder if Marie Hearne's girl friends are taking Woodrow Turner's place. Incidentally, Woodrow is assistant coach at Ouachita High this year. . . . Sims Jackson, one of the outstanding football heroes at the institution, got his dates mixed up one Sunday night. How did things turn out Sims? . . . From all indications "One Punch" Whitfield Huson prefers titian beauties. What did you know you were doing your frat brother dirt on Sunday night? . . . Speaking of titian beauties, the Lee-Hughes romance seems to be progressing rather smoothly. . . . We would like statistics as to the number of girls who have crushes on Tom Pinckney, Gerald Couch, Kerwin Donaldson, and Bobby Neal. Jimmie Merritt seems to be out of circulation this year. Can you vouch for this, Betty? . . . Myrtis Sexton was awfully interested in just when the football boys would return from Mississippi. . . . Lynn Cook, are you and Marjorie on good terms for the dance tonight? . . . Edward Frith seems to be holding his place in Dorothy Aden's heart. Can it be possible that he has already earned a Potpourri key? We're told that he has one now.

. . . This really seems to be the week for football heroes! . . . Velma Caston seems to be on the lookout for Ledet. We're told that he rather likes her too. . . . There certainly are a large number of campus lassies who "long to be near" Marvin Wyatt. However, Wyatt's interest seems to be in Margy Goodfrey, but JoJo Tucker, the little sister, "sorta" stops his running around. Speaking of JoJo reminds us that Roy Louis has been showing her about. It seems to us that when "big shots" like LaVerne Whitener and Oattie Mae Duncan are interested in "making the team" love must be wonderful. Seriously, we wonder if their interest is making the team or making the home-coming dance? . . . At the Louisiana College game, "Nappy" Bowen was anxious for everyone to meet Henry Cooksey. Did everyone meet Mr. Cooksey, if not why not, "Nappy"? . . . Does everyone know that Lawrence Lindsley's old hometown flame is getting married soon. Perhaps he'll play the true Lochnuir at the occasion—but if not—well, it leaves him foot-loose and fancy free. . . . Thelma Hickman seems to be having quite a time these days. Dudley Fulton came down recently and unfortunately the fair one had a date with Allen Lee. Nobly, Allen brought her home early to see Dudley, who by fates cruel hand had been sent homeward bound. Visit us again, Dudley. Maybe next time you ought to be more explicit in your time!!! Margaret Elston and Lynda Lee Renfro seem to have the same heart interest. We've heard that he dates them alternately throughout the week. . . . Some of the freshmen seem to have found their ideal among our ranks—for instance—Annie Laurie Poe from all outward evidence is quite satisfied with the attention of Jimmie Jeannsonne. Mary Ford seems to be getting around—of course, cute freshmen do!!! . . . John Renwick seem to admire Bee Durham—we like her, too. . . . We hear that Coach Mahfouz had his business all mixed up one Saturday night. It seems that he made an unexpected trip to Alexandria, so he asked "Dog" Murrell to break a date for him. Murrell explained things to a certain damsel, our freshman cheerleader, while Myrtis Sexton waited and wondered where her date was. Oh, well everyone was all mixed up—but it finally turned out all right. . . . We're told that Bobby "Soulful Eyes" Jones and Woody "Sweet-talk" Hargrove are writing a column for the paper this week. Don't you think that they ought to call it the Sigma Tau Bi-Weekly Bulletin? And while we're discussing frats, let us mention in passing that even Rayford McLean admits that Sigma Tau is the best national fraternity on the hill, but that the Phi Kaps have the best local frat in the diggings. Personally we like the Lambda Zetas. And now that in our subtle way we have obtained the support of the three powers behind the throne (throne in the lion's den) we will continue with interesting news items about our local citizens. . . .

John D. Bell's many friends will be glad to hear that he has had his teeth put in permanently. Some of the boys in dining hall objected because he could eat spaghetti faster than they. . . . Right after Marcus Bickham came back from Many, practically the whole town burned down. Say, Marcus, what did you do over there, anyway?

. . . The high school crowd got a thrill a couple of Saturday nights ago when "Dynamite" Huson and Cattle King attended a dance at the Elks Club in town. We have Whitfield's permission to quote him as saying, "It was a real nice affair—no drunks or anything!" He asked us to put his name in this column anyway; along with Marilyn Norman's. We might add that Tony Porter and Frank Fletcher also asked that their name appear in print. You'll get a bill for the publicity on the first of the month. . . . The Current Sauce just ain't what it used to be, without Henry Ford's fine Italian hand and boy, do we miss Red Wimberly, thank heavens. A little questionnaire—choose the correct answer! Joe Colquette likes 1. To go to classes. 2. To set tables in the dining hall. 3. Girls. . . . The best-looking boy on the campus is: 1. J. S. LeBlanc. 2. Toar. 3. Herman. 4. Piccolo. 5. Schuler. 6. Steve Harmon. 7. "Dog" Eason. . . . This column is 1. Awful. 2. Bad. 3. Lousy. (You won't hurt our feelings, thanks for reading this far.) . . . The dizziest person on the campus is 1. Alice Marie Clark—or is she? . . . Enough of this babble—let us discuss more worthwhile matters. Doris Long, for instance, some of the boys thought her a little high-hat at first, but she couldn't resist Clyde Wood's fatal fascination; so she broke down and gave him a date and that just goes to shows you that an humble face may hide a heart of gold. (Only in Clyde's case his face doesn't hide anything because his mouth gets in the way. He's a nice boy too). . . . We didn't see a single drunk person at the Louisiana College game—we weren't there. . . . "Dog" Bradley and Marjorie Butler make us think of springtime. (That reminds us to by all means write home for another blanket.) . . . Isn't Freva Webb romantic looking? . . . Knock! knock! (Pause while you wonder Mahfouz who) Mahfouz some people but you can't fool me. (Pause for loud laughter from student body.)

. . . The swing band can really swing it now. How about a concert some day soon. Make it the fourth period, please!! Scoop!! Found—at last! a modest freshman from Detroit! He told us (not too confidentially) that for the past week because of the fact that he had been dating a red-head the week before, one of his girl friends had been wearing red dresses this entire week. Sorry if we missed the connection, Herman, but it does prove what a woman will do to hold a man like you. Our press agent just left, no more news for this week. For publicity see publicity department. And now, dear public, good bye—and stay as sweet as you are!

tary-treasurer; Mary Elizabeth Palmer, reporter.

PHI KAPPA NU

Phi Kappa Nu fraternity will hold an informal reunion of old members today when alumni members of the fraternity return to renew old acquaintances at the Home-coming festivities.

Among those expected to return today are Merrill Gallion, former Normal football star, Ray

Winn, former editor of Current Sauce, Van Odom, president of Student Association last year, Doak Wimberley, former football player, and many others who have made only tentative plans to return.

Plans were formulated this week for holding a theatre party next week as a preliminary to other social activities which will include the young women of the college.

DEMONS AND EAST TEXAS LIONS CLASH TODAY

DEMON GRIDMEN DEFEAT WILDCATS

Wildcats Forced To Keep Unshaven For An Extra Week By Defeat

Louisiana College students attended classes unshaven and long haired for a week after their varsity gridgers lost their fourth game of this season to the Demons, 13 to 0, on the Pineville gridiron. Eighty men students of the college signed a resolution to allow their hair to grow until the team had emerged victorious from a football game.

Normal scored in the second and fourth quarters to beat the Wildcats, Harmon running fifteen yards around right end for the first goal and Mahfouz hitting the line four times to gain six yards for the final period touchdown. Both scoring drives were made immediately after the Demons had recovered Wildcat fumbles. Slack kicked for the extra point after the touchdown by Mahfouz.

Normal's back ripped off up to 70 yards when Mahfouz got loose in the first period and was downed by the safety. Net gains for Normal including one pass that was allowed because of interference, was 228 yards compared with 102 yards gained by the Cats. The Cats completed two passes for 38 yards. Two passes were intercepted on each side while each team covered three fumbles by their opponent. First downs were seven to six in Normal's favor.

NORMAL FRESHMEN LOSE TO BULLPUPS IN THIRD GAME

After winning three straight games, the Imp gridgers bowed to Louisiana Tech Bullpups, 16-0, at Ruston, last Thursday. Tech scored all of their points in the last half.

On the second down of the third quarter, Edgar, Pup half, ran 62 yards for a touchdown. Hall, guard, converted from placement. Later in the quarter, the Imps threatened when Bell returned a punt 49 yards to the Tech's six yard line. Barrilleaux last five yards; Gilson added a yard; then the Pups were penalized five yards for off-sides, putting the ball on the five yard line. In the last down, though, the Imps passed incomplete into the end zone.

In the final stanza, Bell attempted to run the ball out from the Normal end zone, but he was downed by two Puppies for a safety. Pollete crossed the Normal goal and Rogers converted from placement shortly before the game ended to give Tech their total.

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LIONS' STAR BACKFIELD MEN



Above are the seven backs of the East Texas State Teachers squad, whose versatility and power have been the main factor in the Lions' success this year. Reading from left to right, top row: Joe Taylor, heady quarter and expert passer; Lloyd Kerbow, elusive senior threat; Johnnie Garrison, former All-State half whose hip-slinging has proved the undoing of several teams this fall. Bottom row: Morris Groce, a great blocking back and linebacker; Bill Defee, one of the best passers in the Conference; Sam Montgomery, a fine punter and ball carrier who made the All-Conference team last year; Bub McDowell, hard running triple threat.

IMPS DEFEAT TEXAS FIRST YEAR TEAM, 19-7

Normal Frosh Score In First, Second And Fourth Quarters; Texans In Third

Led by the stellar playing of Gilson, former Fair Park high school star of Shreveport, quarterback and captain, and Bell of Franklin, halfback, the Louisiana State Normal college freshmen defeated the Stephen F. Austin first-year men of Nacogdoches, Texas, 19 to 7, on Normal field Thursday afternoon.

The Imps scored first in the

first quarter when Murrell, fullback raced 20 yards around left tackle for their first touchdown. A play around right end failed to convert. The second Imp score came in the second frame when Bell took the ball from the Texans' 47 yard line and skirted right end for the marker. Bell kicked the extra point. The Normal frosh made their third touchdown when Bell took the ball at the visitors' 14 yard line and rushed around right end for pay dirt. The kick for extra point was wide.

The Texas freshmen scored their only touchdown in the game

in the third quarter on a long pass from Moncrief to Clark over the goal line. Clark converted.

The Imps made twelve first downs to seven for the Texans. The Normal frosh made 246 yards from scrimmage to 144 for the Nacogdoches frosh.

HOME-COMING GAME TO BRING RIVALS FOR SEVERAL SEASONS TOGETHER ON NORMAL FIELD

Game To Mark First Time Out-Of-State Team Chosen For Home-coming Tilt

Former graduates and the student body will be offered the feature attraction of Home-coming this afternoon when the Demons meet the strong East Texas Teachers on the Normal field at 2:30 o'clock.

This is the first time in the history of the college that an out of state grid eleven has met the Normal team on Home-coming. Tech, who was previously scheduled to play the Demons on the annual fall graduate get-together, was played last Friday night after the college had changed the Home-coming date from last Saturday to today. The change was due to the conflict in games with the L. S. U.-Arkansas game at the State Fair last week.

Regardless of the fact that East Texas is an out of state foe, they are keen rivals of the Demons and have been on the Demon's grid schedule for a number of years.

The Normal team will be pointing for its first victory on home soil this season, having lost to Southeastern and Tech in the only other two previous contests on the Normal gridiron. East Texas, however, has a strong eleven, being undefeated and untied in four games against strong Texas teams.

Last year the Demons were defeated for the second consecutive time by the Lions, 6-0, after losing the previous year, 14-0. In 1934 the Demons played the Commerce eleven to a scoreless tie.

For the game today the Demons will be lacking the services of Cope, and Vaughn. Vaughn is

out for the season with a broken leg and Cope is ailing with an injured knee. The Demons, however, will not be as shy of reserves strength this week as they were against Tech. Mathis, Coyle, Slack, and Wagley, who have been unable to play in the last two games will be ready for action today. Bill James, reserve center, will not see service in this game. He incurred a foot injury in the Tech melee. Couch, who has been suffering with a neck injury, will probably not be able to play either.

It is possible that four seniors will be in the Demons, starting lineup. Captain Polly Piazza and W. E. Coyle, guards; Slack, tackle; and Austin, fullback, are the four-year men who are likely to be in the starting lineup this afternoon.

Junior Players Elect Officers

At the first meeting of the Junior Dramatic Club held last week, the following were elected officers: Mary Ida Aycock, president; Melvin Bradley, vice-president; Freya Webb, secretary-treasurer; Gladstone Lynch, sergeant-at-arms; Nappy Bowen, reporter.

A play reading committee composed of the following people was appointed to read a variety of plays for possible production: Nappy Bowen, chairman; Corinne Scott, Pauline Posey, Elizabeth Huckaby, Carrette Jones; Irma Jane Gibson, Lucille Anderson, Janice Caldwell, Helen Davis, Emma Kornbacker, Clarence Greer, and Jeanne Tardiff.

RAILROADS

Welcome New Ideas

Young people today should find much to their liking in the policies of management adopted by our modern railroads. Nothing is sacred merely because it is old. Policies are based solidly upon the test-tube findings of current public usefulness and favor. • Consider these evidences of railway experimentation: Reduced fares, faster and more convenient schedules, streamline trains, added comfort and beauty in passenger equipment, lower-priced meals, air-conditioning, free pillows for coach passengers, free pick-up and delivery of less-than-carload freight—such innovations bring luster to the long-held railway advantages of safety, economy and dependability. • The Illinois Central System is especially proud of its Green Diamond, \$425,000 mile-a-minute streamline train recently placed in service. It has been called a rolling laboratory, in which will be worked out principles affecting the development of future passenger transportation, and it embodies the latest findings of science in a wide variety of fields. Favorably received, it gives every promise of fulfilling its chosen mission. • Thus deeds give proof of progress and confirm the skilled determination of railway management and personnel to keep in the very forefront of transportation. American railroads in such ways are daily justifying their kinship with the college and university world.

REMINDER...
Education today must keep in touch with the railroads. Fundamentals everybody ought to know are what the railroads mean as carriers, employers, taxpayers, purchasers, fields of investment and foundations of national defense. Educators especially should remember that railway taxes keep 1,600,000 students in school; that railway bonds are the backlog of many an endowed institution; that the railroads today, in keeping with the spirit of all true education, are forging ahead progressively to new goals.

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The attention of Current Sauce readers is called to the large advertisement of the Illinois Central system which is appearing in 79 colleges and universities in the South and Middle West to arouse interest in railroad progress.

"Railroads welcome new ideas," announces the opening copy, which is illustrated with a drawing of the Green Diamond streamline train emerging from a test-tube. The advertisement lists current railway achievements as proof that modern railway policies of management "are based solidly upon the test-tube findings of current public usefulness and favor." The Green Diamond is mentioned as a case in point, and Mr. Downs closes with a reminder of what railroads mean to the nation and to schools.

Similar advertisements are scheduled to appear in the student newspapers at all colleges and universities on the Illinois Central System lines and at the more important off-line institutions in Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana, the eight states in which the railroad has its greatest mileage.

"Our purpose is to contribute to education for useful citizenship," said Mr. Downs. "The earliest memories of present college students do not go back beyond about 1920, which means they have grown up in a period when more spectacular developments in other forms of transportation have been doing some spectacular things too, making improvements which should appeal to young people's imagination. Through such developments as streamline trains, air-conditioning, faster schedules and so on, considerable new interest in railroads has been aroused. This is a logical time, therefore, to come forward with a program of advertising which will give our young people a background of information against which to appraise the position of modern railroads in the modern scheme of things."

Book Authority Addresses Women

Miss Annette Duchain, representative of the Louisiana State University Book Circle, addressed faculty members, town women, and students in the social building recently.

The purpose of this meeting was to organize a branch member of this circle. It affords the women of the state better opportunities to discuss and read worth while books.

Every class is divided into two half-hour periods. The first half hour is devoted to the discussion by the lecturer of the late worth while books while the remaining time is used by the entire group for the purpose of asking questions relative to the lectures. Miss Duchain gave an interesting talk on Margaret Mitchell's "Gone with the Wind." She also discussed "Around the World in Eleven Years" by Patricia, Jane and Richard Abbey.

War on Campus

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trains roared, whistles blew, bells rang, and by the time he had completed his first speech, two more trenches had been dug across the Normal campus and a gas pipe had been installed by president Roosevelt's WPA army.

A modern bell alarm and a self-starting water sprinkling system is completely netted through Caldwell hall. In case that things get too hot, the bell will bellow and the sprinklers spray simultaneously to warn and cool the innocent Normal students.

Would Welcome War

Some students welcome the war-like atmosphere, as every time a train or squadron of airplanes is passing here, their teacher must stop lecturing, or if the teacher continues to lecture, the roaring and droning pleasantly drowns out the sound of any human voice. Others strenuously object to the war-like incident as it disturbs them from their sleep during the lectures.

Already, the roaring vibrations have caused plaster to fall from the auditorium ceiling, the added noise disturbing or awakening the audience at a health lecture. The

Treble Clef Club Honors Singers

As a result of final try-outs, the following students have been awarded the honor of membership in the Treble Clef Club:

Sopranos—Joy Burnham, Maxine Corbitt, librarian, Bernadette Dill, Roberta Fluitt, president, Hilda Foil, Ruth Fourroux, Corinne Greer, Harriet Hall, Katherine Kearney, Lulie Nabors, Merrill Raggio, Marjorie Scott, Mary Verdel, and Louise Voorhies, treasurer.

Mezzo-Sopranos — Elvira Mae Beasley, reporter, Nelwyn Beddingfield, secretary, Lucille Curry, Evelyn Ellzey, Verone Ford, Beatrice Gamble, Ethel Good, vice-president, Sammie Rosaline Hill, Dorothy King, Mary McDowell, Mary Elizabeth Palmer, Katherine Posey, Helen Sexton, Jo Jo Tucker, and Nan Upton.

Contraltos—Mrs. A. J. Burns, Georgia Dixon, Jewel Francis, Helen D. Horton, Lessie Hardin, Virginia McKinney, Farris Modisette, Emily Belle Platt, Cecile Pou, Elizabeth Reeves, Theda Selvedge, Ruth Moreland, Vertie Mae O'Bier, and Josephine Tarlton.

plaster barely missed the Miss who was speaking.

Leche Views Campus

One of Normal's three remaining aged historic columns is threatening to topple over from the excitement. Local families are canning everything from peas to persimmons, in order to escape the paying of rising prices and the newly passed "war tax tokens". Governor Leche was on the campus Friday and viewed the situation. That evening, he addressed the students.

"It might be a good idea", someone suggested, "to utilize the stately 'N' water tower near the Field House as an outlook tower. A man could climb up the steel framework and watch for the enemy. If an enemy approached, the sentinel could blow a cow horn."

DEMONS' DEN

HOME OF GOOD THINGS
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Seven Hundred See Newsreel In Special Show

Seven hundred students and teachers saw themselves and their friends pictured in the successful first Normal motion picture newsreel showing in the Caldwell Auditorium, October 13. Four acts of melody, mirth and dancing supplemented the newsreel that is being innovated here this year by the Normal department of publications. The pictures were re-shown twice during the noon hour the following day for bus students and others who did not attend the premiere, but some viewed the pictures again in spite of the fact that they were re-shown as an encore at the premiere of the variety program.

The 350 feet of plain and natural color films, depicting the candid actions of Normalites on the campus and on the trip to the Texas Centennial in Dallas, were exposed with a new ultra-modern portable movie camera. This type of newsreel pictures, that is the first of its kind to be shown in any college in the United States, will be a vital part of the variety programs to be sponsored regularly as a student activity by the Normal publications department, directed by R. L. Ropp.

"Home-coming" Next Feature

At least 200 feet of pictures will be taken of the various activities of the students on Home-coming Day programs to feature in the next newsreel. A new act for the variety program is in progress, and an added short comedy reel will complete the second program that should, says Mr. Ropp, be even more successful than the

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Pictures for the next show, so far, have been taken of students watching and action of the Imp-Leesville football game, and candid shots of students observing WPA laborers digging or constructing on the campus. As the movie project has already completed its experimental stage, all candid pictures will appear brighter than some of those in the first showing, and, also, more close-up pictures of students will be included.

Use Ultra-Modern Devices

The slow motion adapter of the camera, and also the adapter for taking "quick motion" pictures, as yet not shown, will be employed to be shown for the first time on the next variety program. Super sensitive film will be used to brighten candid shots of students and teachers in action or asleep in classrooms.

In the vaudeville acts, Margaret Ingram sang a solo, a reading was given by Marcia Durham; Eloise Aden tapped to the piano accompaniment of Nappy Bowen, and songs were rendered by quartette of Marjorie Patterson, Dorothy La Croix, Denny Pearman, and Marjorie Scott.

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'Ag' Fraternity Resumes Functions

Demeter, a chapter of the National Agricultural Fraternity installed at the Normal College in 1935, is resuming its business of furthering agricultural pursuits and interests at the Normal through various extra-curricular programs to be given in the near future, it was announced this week by Demeter officials.

Under the leadership of President Nixon Bankston, the fraternity is taking steps to continue the work started by S. W. Nelken, sponsor of Demeter, and Rufus Walker, first president.

At a recent meeting the following officers were elected: Nixon Bankston, president; Wilson "Buddy" Smith, vice-president; Raymond J. Szczesiul, secretary-treasurer; Wilborn Slack, pledge captain; Sims Jackson, sergeant-at-arms; and Alton Wagley, reporter.

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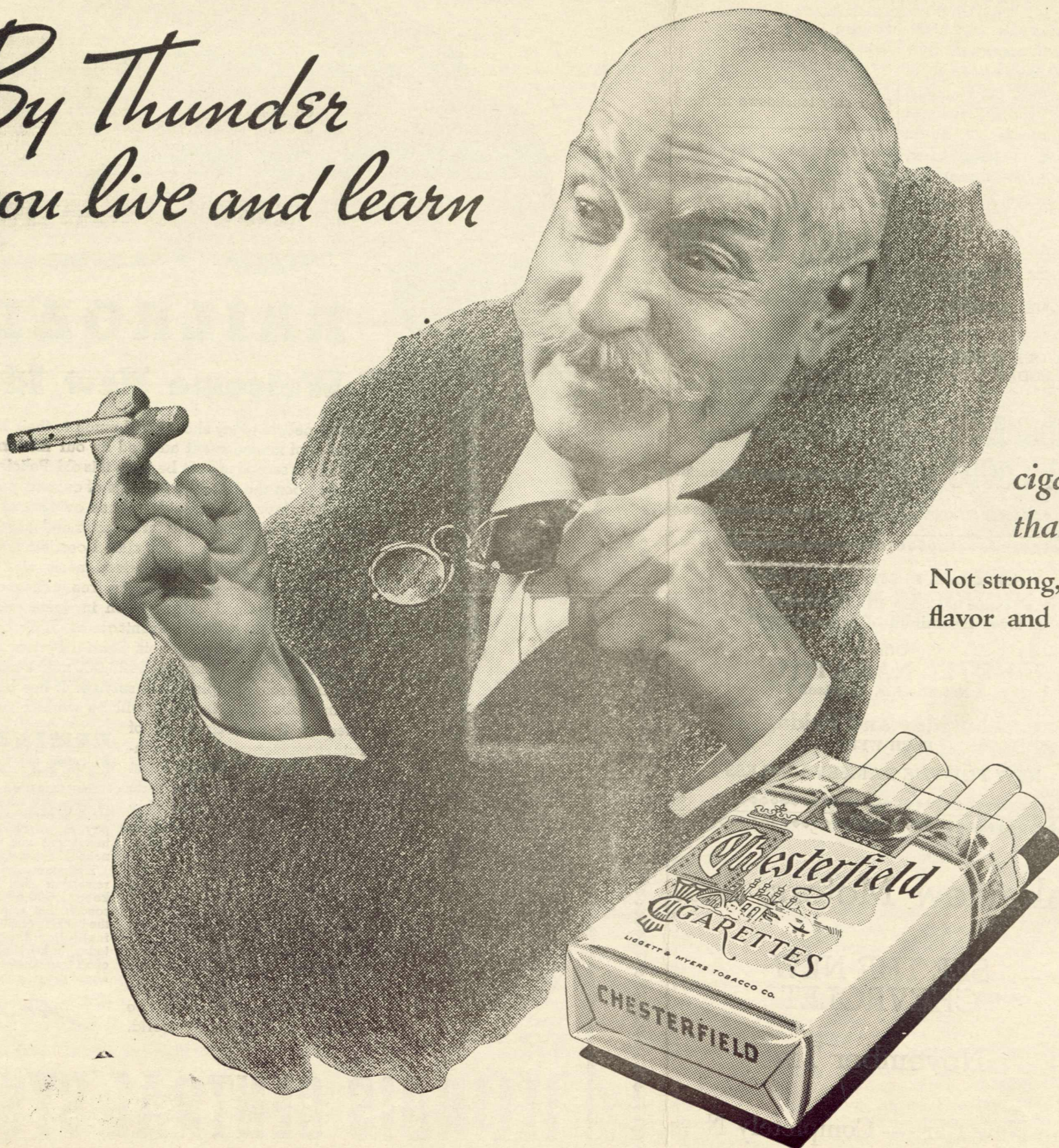
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ARMISTICE DAY TO BE OBSERVED

Davis Players To Give Tower Room Mystery

The floor will squeak with a French accent and the halls will ring with terrifying screams when "The Tower Room Mystery" is presented Wednesday night, Nov. 18, in Caldwell auditorium by the Davis Players under the direction of Miss Annetta Wood, director of dramatics here.

A little room in the tower of Chateau Beset-Sur-Aisne that still exists near Paris and in which locality today a frank belief in werewolves, vampires, loup-garous, goblins and fays and devils, hold the peasants in thrall of superstition, is the scene that will be enacted by the Davis Players, senior dramatic club of the Normal college.

Interspersed with the mysterious and chilling actions, is humorous dialogue, as the scene takes place during the spring of this year in the weird room covered with the dust of centuries, mouldy and squirmy with spiders. W. O. Jackson will enact the leading role of Jack Chalice, a clean-cut, typical American college graduate who has some French relatives. Jack's sister, Kate, a cold, good-looking bachelor maiden who does a goodly part of the screaming, will be portrayed by Dorothy Aden. The heroine, beautiful Mignon Vere, a French maiden, unassumingly sweet and graceful, will be seen in Marion Reeves.

The cast directed by Miss Wood, will also include Mademoiselle Boucher, a mad woman, played by Marcia Durham; Maman Boule, a French peasant, by Gertrude Palmer; The Master, a vampire, by Lloyd Warner; his three wives by Erin Sandlin, Margaret Groves and Hilda Ann Hair; Maurice Pasquerel, a dapper young Frenchman attendant, by Collum; Emile Lurdau, a suave and polished concierge (gate keeper) of the ancient chateau, by J. S. LeBlanc; Adolph De Boussac, a deaf-mute, stoop-shouldered servant, by Clifton Thomas; and Kennedy Elsworth, wise cracking, conceited, American playwright, in love with Kate in a business-like way, by Harold Mitchell.

One of the characters in the play was overheard to say that the cast would be supported by half a dozen spiders, rats, bats, vampires, and eerie noises.

College to be Host to Newspaper Editors On November 20th

The Louisiana State Normal college will be host to the newspaper publishers of the eighth district on November 20, it was announced this week by R. L. Ropp, head of the department of publications here. The meeting will be the first of its kind in the state.

Plans for the meeting are being formulated by Miss Carmen Breazeale of the Natchitoches Enterprise, Mr. John Cunningham of the Natchitoches Times, and Mr. Ropp. The group will be guests of the college at dinner during the meet.

Normal Graduates Honored at Tulane

For the first time in the history of the Tulane Law Review, law publication of Tulane University, two brothers are serving on the staff of that publication simultaneously and both men are graduates of the State Normal college. Both Ed and Henry Pierson were elected to the staff of the Law Review recently.

Ed graduated from Normal in 1935 and Henry in 1934. While students here, both debated and played tennis for the college. Henry was editor of the Current Sauce and Ed was editor of the Pot-pourri his last year here.

Women's Council At State Normal College



These twelve co-eds at the State Normal college have been elected to represent the women enrolled at the college in the student cooperative government association recently instituted at the State Teachers' college. Functioning in both a judicial and an executive capacity, the new women students council is empowered with the responsibility of initiating and directing the program relating to student government at the institution. Members of the new council are, top row, left to right: Willie Lou Talbot, Houma; Harriet Hall, New Iberia; Marguerite Hanley, president, Alexandria; Velma Schexnayder, New Roads. Middle row: Patricia Burke, New Iberia; Miriam Himel, Port Allen; Dorothy Irion, Benton; Orelia Hendrix, Jena. Bottom row: Jean Johnson, Shreveport; Mabel Claire Lancaster, Waterproof; Georgie Pickett, Pineville; Dorothy LaCroix, Colfax.

Local Faculty Member Elected Red Cross Chairman

H. J. Colvin of the Normal college faculty was appointed chairman of the Red Cross Roll Call for the parish of Natchitoches this week when the national organizer of the Red Cross was here to formulate plans for this district.

According to Mr. Colvin, the goal set for Natchitoches is 1000 members or the equivalent of \$1000. Last year the membership was 800 and the year before it was 1200.

To facilitate the work of attaining the goal set, a Red Cross booth will be placed downtown and one on the campus which will be managed by the Purple Jackets. The purpose of the campus booth will be to familiarize students with the work of the Red Cross so that they will know how to contact the organization in the event that a necessity for its aid arises in the state while they are teaching school.

Administrative Staff Is Elected To Serve During Annual L. T. A. Convention

At a student body meeting held Tuesday afternoon, three students were honored by being elected to hold administrative offices of the college during the absence of faculty and administrative officials when they attend the L. T. A. convention to be held in Monroe November 19, 20 and 21.

Paul Piazza, captain of the football team and Newman club president, was unanimously elected to serve as president of the college during the absence of college officials. Sims Jackson, likewise a football player, was also elected to serve as dean of men for the "grace period." When called upon to give a speech, Mr. Piazza said, "I have nothing to say." Mr. Jack-

son followed suit with these words, "Just as Mr. Piazza, I have no statement to make at this time."

The office of dean of women was contested by Marguerite Hanley, Ottilie Mae Duncan, Patricia Burke and Georgie Pickett with Miss Pickett emerging victorious. Miss Pickett is assistant editor of the yearbook, a Y.W.C.A. worker, and a former student council member.

These student officers will assume the duties of President Fredericks, Dean Prather, and Dean Varnado during their absence from the campus during the L. T. A. convention. This will mark the third time that students have been so honored in the past three years.

Double Feature Program To Be Presented In Caldwell Hall Auditorium Wednesday

First Assembly Honoring World War Dead Scheduled At 10:20 A. M.; Newsreel at 7:30 p.m.

On November 11, Armistice Day, students of the college will be entertained by a double feature program in Caldwell auditorium. A program in honor of those that died in the last great struggle, the World War, will be presented at 10:20 a.m. In the evening at 7:30 the second edition of Normal's Newsreel will be given.

Baptist Students To Be Hosts To Three Hundred

Representatives Of All College And Universities To Be Present For 3 Day Religious Gathering

Local Baptist Student Union members will be hosts to more than three hundred student representatives from the major colleges and universities of the state at the annual Baptist Student Union Convention to be held at the Natchitoches Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.

"Seeking The Will of God" will be the keynote sounded for the gathering of young men and women and state leaders of the Baptist church.

The complete program for the first day and a half is as follows:

Friday Evening
"Seeking The Will of God"
7:00 Congregational singing
7:20 Seeking His Will—Rev. J. C. Wells

Echo Music
7:40 Special Music
7:45 Heroic Decisions of Christ—Made Men—Mr. Sabin Landry, Tulane; Miss Estelle Theford, B. B. I.; Mr. Winburn Davis, Tech; Mr. Lynn Elder, L. S. U.
8:15 Address, "The Call to Divine Obedience"—J. D. Grey
Meditation Music and Prayer
Welcome—Mr. Edwin McClung, Dr. A. A. Fredericks

Saturday Morning
Announcements and Social hour
"The Will of God in Campus Witnessing"

8:30 Delegation Prayer Meetings
9:00 Congregational singing
9:15 Discussion groups on Practical Problems
Devotional Life—Mr. William Hall Preston
Summer Work—Rev. Ira Peak
Enlightenment—Miss Miriam Daffin

Social and Talent Development
—Mrs. F. M. Rugg
Publicity and Magazine—Miss Sarah Blackburn

10:00 "Following His Will in

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Armistice Program Typical

This program under the direction of Mr. Colvin will get under way during the third hour and will be opened by invocation and then introductory remarks will be made. The band will render several selections and Miss Wood will read several poems. At eleven, taps will be sounded and quiet will be observed for a few seconds for those honored dead.

Home-coming Features Second Newsreel

The second showing of the Normal newsreel will have as its feature, the events of home-coming. The many picturesque scenes of the day will be shown in technicolor, and these shots will include the march into town, the cheering in the streets, and old time reunions. While shots taken of the football game, the introduction of the football queen and her maids of honor by President Fredericks, and the presentation of the Band's Sweetheart by Mr. Saetre will be shown, many other pictures will reveal students here and there about the campus.

Newsreel Program Varied

Several changes in policy will make a marked improvement over the first newsreel show, the program will be considerably lengthened by the addition of a comedy rented from the Kodascope Library, of which Normal is now a member, in Kansas City, Missouri.

Because of the enthusiasm displayed in the vaudeville program produced by Marjorie Patterson for the initial newsreel showing, the girls who took part in the acts will have a new show for the armistice day newsreel.

Candid Action Pictured

In that most of the pictures will be candidly taken and from close-up, spectators will see themselves as they really are. This will also make the action and particular personality of each person taken more obvious and interesting, for they will be short distance shots.

Newman Club To Hold Initiation Services Nov. 15

Initiation ceremonies for Newman club membership will take place the night of November 15, in Caldwell Auditorium according to a resolution passed by the cabinet last Sunday. All students of the college, regardless of sect, are invited to attend the ceremonies that night.

Practice for the initiation ceremonies will be held regularly every Tuesday and Thursday night from 6:30 to 7 in the auditorium until the final ceremony. All Newman club members and prospective members are urged to attend these practice sessions regularly and promptly.

Attention Men!

All men students who are interested in learning to dance are invited to attend the beginner's classes in social dancing which are being held each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from four until six o'clock in the Women's gymnasium.

These classes are being sponsored by the Orchestras Club and are under the leadership of Mrs. W. H. Pierson, member of the Physical Education department.

CO-ED GIVES VIEWS ON NORMAL "PALACE" LIFE

During the blistering vacation days hundreds of Normal coeds eagerly looked forward to returning to school this fall to view the changes which were scheduled

red as much as ever. There must have, of course, been a very good reason for this delay. What it is we do not know, but (and, of course, this isn't intended for publication) we believe we have a very good idea.

Girls Move

If you recall, work was started on the Dorms sometime during the spring season. The bevy of feminine pulchritude that flowed in all directions on the campus and for which this institution is so famous was just to the workers liking. So much so, in fact, that work was slowed down and operations extended until school would again be resumed. As we mentioned before, authentic sources will probably disagree with us, and the government may even sue for aspersions cast on the character of their workers, but remember it's merely your correspondent's opinion. To return to the subject, however, the small group of coeds who lived in Dining Hall heretofore, were instructed that until the Hall was finished, they would occupy the one and only remaining building for girls on the

campus. With a heavy heart but a smiling face (our girls have such lovely dispositions) they packed their luggage and the caravan proceeded. At first, it was, in their opinion simply atrocious!

Girls Like Place

Today, just a few weeks later, they love it. The first reason for this changed opinion being that the football boys are directly across the field, and on these beautiful nights with stars like brilliant diamonds in the sky, air so crisp and cool and old man moon beaming down, this group beauties wander on the porch, look across the field and sigh, "So near and yet so far".

Oh, there are other reasons of course. Like Greta, some of them "want to be alone", and as the "Palace", as some have nicknamed it, is so far from the other buildings, they can certainly enjoy their solitude. The main problem of the girls at the palace is how often one should bathe. There are no tubs, and the showers, using the present-day vernacular, is a "fur piece" from the rooms. However, you can relieve your

mind, for a recent meeting it was decided that everyone take one shower per month. If, however, you see a few girls on the campus with one shoulder slung a good inch lower than the other

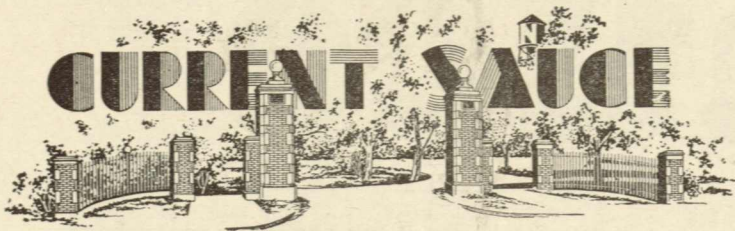


one, you'll know it's from "toting water" to their rooms. It hasn't been definitely decided at present, but Dining Hall is expected to be finished in just a few more weeks and when the girls move back and the dear ole "Palace" is destroyed or rebuilt, take it from me, there are going to be many a bucket of salty tears shed.



to take place in all the dormitories.

If you remember, the WPA program called for each dorm to be completely renovated and it was thought the entire program would be finished by the opening of the fall session. A small group of these students were doomed to disappointment, however. Dining Hall girls found their same old dwelling place, marred and scar-



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PRESIDENT FREDERICKS "RINGS THE BELL"

In a welcoming speech made at the home-coming game last Saturday afternoon, President Fredericks struck a significant note when he made the statement that "the Normal college football players go to college and play football, incidentally, rather than play football and go to college, incidentally." This statement is the keynote of athletic competition as engaged in by students representing the State Normal College in inter-collegiate activities.

The Current Sauce has little patience with those individuals who profess to be loyal supporters of the Demons when the football eleven is chalking up victory after victory but are the first to belittle the team when it drops a few contests. This attitude on the part of "would be supporters" has been evidenced in the past few weeks because the team has thus far failed to score a win on the home field this year.

The Current Sauce offers no apologies or makes any excuses for the losses of the team because it feels that none are needed for a team which fights the best and the hardest it knows how despite the fact that its obstacles are not only the men on the field but also the spectators in the stands, and even at that comes up fighting and with a smile. As one supporter of the team puts it, "Any person can smile when he's winning, but it takes a man to smile when he's losing." And the Normal team is noted for its good sportsmanship, win, lose or draw.

That a college hates to lose athletic contests, that a team hates to lose a game, and that athletic mentors hate to be faced by a record of defeats are common knowledge; but those who are concerned most with the athletic program at the State Normal College have one satisfaction and that is that their worry terminates with the concern of losing and not with the fear that if their books were examined the tenets of amateur sportsmanship would be found to have been violated by "slush funds" and other unfair practices too often engaged in merely to produce a winning team.

True, most of the football players have working scholarships the same as many other worthy students on the campus have; but no partiality is shown these men when it comes to apportioning the work necessary to maintain this scholarship, either in type of work or in scholastic requirements.

Fair-minded observation shows that it has been the policy of the college athletic department to cater not to the athletes who are "made" before they enroll but to develop those who have the inclination and potentiality to be moulded into the type of individuals who can go into the state after graduation and help instill the ideals of good sportsmanship in the youth of the state.

Yes, President Fredericks "rang the bell" in his home-coming address because an athlete should go to college not to play football primarily and get an education incidentally but rather to get an education primarily and play football incidentally.

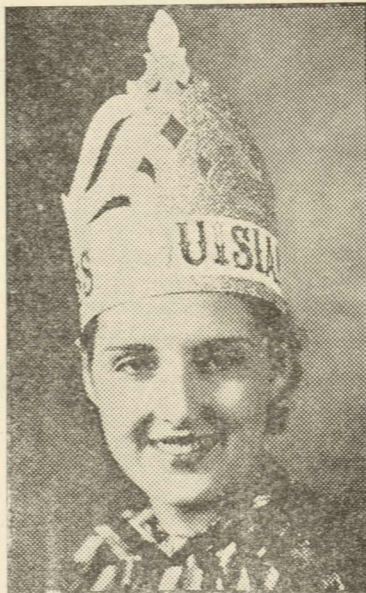
A VITAL ACTIVITY

Too often students and faculty members of a college are prone to disregard and appear disinterested in the work and productions of their fellow members, and this situation is particularly true in the case of support given to dramatic productions at the college. For years now the dramatic club has served the school in producing a variety of plays from musical productions and Shakespearean drama to comedy and mystery plays, but as time went on the support of enthusiastic audience has steadily diminished.

The dramatic club has no financial assistance outside the receipts recorded at the door which makes dramatics at the college different from many other extra-curricular activities and consequently makes more disheartening the work of students and sponsors when the audiences represent but one-fourteenth of the student body and even less in the case of the faculty.

This publication earnestly hopes that there is a sufficient number of Normalites left who feel that an activity which develops talent, personality, and self-confidence as effectively as does participation in dramatic productions will demonstrate their belief by encouraging the Davis Players by attending the current season's production.

"Miss Louisiana"



Meet Miss Gussie Short of Winnsboro, sophomore at the State Normal College, who was chosen "Miss Louisiana" at the state fair in Shreveport last week. Miss Short will represent the Pelican state at the "Miss America" beauty contest in Atlantic City in 1937.

THE LISTENING POST

Hooray! Maybe! those sororities aren't so extra stuck-up after all. It seems that the Winnfield bus has a full fledged member and a pledge to boot to the SIGMA-SIGMA SIGMA.

We're sorry to lose the right honorable Mr. Lynn Cook's presence from among our midst this term but nevertheless the college is enjoying his attendance.

The little Yankee that rides the Many bus has been handed the nickname of "Boots". But then we know the story behind those boots.

The folks on the Pleasant Hill bus have a nice time waiting every evening for the bus to come back from the high school.

How's this! When Woodrow Wilson's pupils see him out of the class-room they invariably call Woodrow.

The Coushatta bus and the Winnfield bus swap couples so we are told!?

Just which one of the five girls from Clarence is Pete Pace going with? Either he can't make up his mind or five's not a crowd anymore.

A certain Freshman from Pollock was told not to cry when the girl of his choice reached her destination the other evening. Can't stand being away from her till bus time the next morning.

"Dogs" Barlington and Williamson spend all their spare time playing ping pong. Look's as though there might be some one of the many of the farer sex that they might enjoy being with. What's the matter boys?

We hear that the gentry on the Grant Parish school bus all doubted Mattie Dean's, as was, Mrs. Otho Lang, as is, statement when she informed them she was married. Anyhow we want to offer our congratulations.

STUDENT OPINIONS

Dear Editor:

Are there no ladies and gentlemen at Normal? A certain junior class member says there are no such things as ladies. According to this person they are all heels. (A statement made by this person at the Tech game.) Are the men of the college to be judged by that type of person as to whether or not they are gentlemen? A man who would make such a statement in the presence of ladies or gentlemen is no gentleman. He does not have the background to make a gentleman.

The Louisiana State Normal college is a teachers college. Does the public want men who make such statements in public, who have such low social ideals and morals, to teach their children? There are no parents who want their children's minds corrupted by such people. Morals are one of the most stressed subjects in our public school system. How can anyone who does not possess morals teach morals?

There are several hundred women students in the college. Are there no ladies among them? Yes, all with whom the author of this has come to know are ladies. Perhaps if this "red-head's" past were known, a better light would be thrown on the subject. Perhaps he should get around a little more and see of what the world is made. Yes, there are ladies, plenty of them. Where are "red-head's" mind and train of thoughts that he has never been able to find a lady?

L. A. KELLY

DORM DOPE

By ROOM 220

Very peculiar things happen sometimes. Douglas Lindsley, and J. Mitchell went to church Sunday. Maybe they have reformed.

Tom "Fletcher Henderson" Pinkney, King of Swing, has passed the bar. We have no reference to law here.

Lower floor boys boast a string band—"The Battle Row Jug Busters". The vocalist — "Dog" Bradley.

"Dog" Craven wholly unaware became a style leader for the "N" Club dance. "Dog" Rodriguez didn't realize Craven was in the orchestra, and so came out for the occasion in white coat and dark trousers. He seems to believe "When in Rome do as the Romans do."

Piccolo is a smart boy and should study business administration, for he has gone in for "lighter overhead" these days. Incidentally did you notice the tango dip the snappy Piccolo displayed when making band formations at the home-coming game.

Roy Lewis often places his entire kingdom in the R. O. victrola. His kingdom for "A Kingdom For a Kiss." Really Roy, does it mean that much?

After the edict on no more noise, William "Kress" Patterson changed from the Marthaville Stomp to the lighter and more fantastic toe dance while walking down the hall. Each week we will mention one of these improvements.

Roark must find the football stadium a more comfortable resting place than the shack, or did he miscue the time of the ball game.

It is hoped that the little disagreement between Williams of the "Shack" and Pernici and Harmon of the "Castle" has been settled. These boys could not agree as to who would take care of the situation present at that time. (The setting—Shreveport).

Culture courses should be offered at this college for such people as R. G. Pyle and Tandy McElwee. They are very crude in their humor. Respectable folks dare not venture past their door while on the way to a shower room. They are solely responsible for one of the shack's outstanding citizens having to sleep on the floor. Highly indignant, such carryings-on.

GREEK NOTES

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma announces the formal pledging of Beth Reeves, Betty Dowdy, Shirley Geling, Irma Jane Gibson, Jane McCardell, Ann Butts, Ann Lancaster, Iris Jo Nunn, Marjorie Godfrey, Yvonne Godfrey, Lula Pearle Honeycutt, Mariam See, LeMerle Elston, and Margaret McDuffie.

Miss Gussie Short of Alpha Delta of Pi Kappa Sigma was chosen as "Miss Louisiana" in the statewide beauty contest, held recently in Shreveport. Miss Short will go to Atlantic City, New Jersey, to compete for "Miss America."

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha announces the marriage of Miss Marguerite Bilbray and Ray Winn on October 24, 1936.

The Alpha Sigma Alpha's on the campus welcomed alumni who were back for home-coming. Among them were Eulalie Tucker, Lodi Tucker, Alice Harkins, Ola Marie Johnson, Linnie Mat Knox, Claudell Lovell, and Mrs. Ray Winn.

Installation services were held for a new patroness, Mrs. Harry Suddath on October 29.

ALPHA PHI GAMMA

Alpha Phi Gamma announces the formal pledging of Miss Marguerite Hanley Tuesday night, November 2 in the Current Sauce office.

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

Kappa chapter of Theta Sigma Upsilon is happy to announce the acceptance of bids by Jane Capell,

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

Not quite the morning after the night before but after anyway . . . The dance seems to still be the topic of conversation. People are still wondering why Sam Aaron prefers dancing with red-heads and dating brunettes. . . . "Man of many jobs" Dizzy Dean rekindled an old flame or did he Bobby? . . . The Tucker family was well represented by Ulalia, Lodi and Jo Jo. . . . Things still haven't bounced back to Normal for Billie Parker was with Ledet while Lawrence was with Ulalia. . . . Weren't you glad to see Julia Ray there to pep things up? . . . "Bull" Hillman was really getting along or was he? We saw Beth Reeves with Wyatt Sunday night.

Attention boys! Are you slipping or have you noticed that cute little South Louisianian, Jane McCardell? If not ask Lynn Cook for an introduction. . . . Maxine Locke was often seen on the campus at the beginning of the term but for some reason she has gone into seclusion. Come on out Maxine and give the boys a break. . . . This guy Fisher really gets around but mostly with Mary Catherine Williams. . . . We've had our eye on L. C. Ford but just when we think we have the low down we find we're all wrong. . . . Nothing wrong though in mentioning Margaret Capell. Grils, we told you last year that Jack Burgess wasn't a shrinking violet (or should we say Son Flower) but it took Evelyn Crosby to give you more definite proof . . . Doris Long and Frank Fletcher seem to have things in common.

It has been rumored that Dottie V. Irion plans to open a date bureau. It should have great possibilities on the campus. . . . Never mind about the statistics mentioned in last issue, Marcia Durham must have won out with Tom Pinkney. . . . We wonder who will win, Anne Lancaster or the football team. P. S. It's not a game so maybe the team will have a chance. . . . While on the subject of Annes, does anyone know why Murray Lambre danced with Anne Butts but four times! And Anne his date too!

We heard—only heard—that Piccolo cast his vote for himself as the most handsome boy. At that rate there must have been two cast, huh, Cotton?

LATEST QUOTATION

To quote: "Too bad Whitfield Huson and Cattle King Douglas didn't enjoy the high school dance at the Elks Club a couple of weeks ago,—especially since they took the trouble to crash it and to wiggle their ways out of paying the customary admittance fees. 'Tis whispered that Whitfield (God's gift to women) got plenty stuck. Apparently he didn't hand the high school kids such a treat after all."

Who is the red haired young man from New York who makes his professors and class mates "see red" by starting long-winded and pointless arguments about nothing at all?

Yes, we can't get the dance off our minds. . . . Imagine our surprise when we found we could walk outside during intermission and return afterwards without going through a third-degree. . . . That really wasn't Normal!

Since Chrysanthemums are in season and plentiful we'd like to give a whole bouquet to Gussie Short on her selection as "Miss Louisiana, 1937." We're proud of you Gussie, and wish you luck in Atlantic City.

We would also like to extend congratulations to the Normal Swing Band and to its leader, Mr. Saetre.

The most attractive eye lashes that we have seen on the campus for some time are those of Leonora Major, diminutive freshman. While on the subject of facial features, we would like to mention the finest moulded nose hereabout, that of Eugenia Cross. We do not expect you to agree with our selections, but remember, every man is entitled to his own opinion. Speaking of Miss E. C. reminds us that we have seen her in the company of "Smoky" Smolinski these days, and we are beginning to wonder whether astronomy is being taught at Normal. There has been much gazing at the heavenly bodies on these beautiful Autumn nights. If you are observant, Smoky, you may notice the full moon tonight. If not, ask your pal, Bill Hart. (We wonder if his name is William S. Hart), he has been particularly observant of the astronomical bodies during the past few weeks. Myrtis Sexton has also been observing the constellations over Bill's manly shoulders.

In order that those of you that are interested—and there are more than we are able to mention—may get the most reliable information, we are going to speak to library officials concerning the setting up of a reserve shelf on this fascinating subject. By this time, however, after sedulous study, it is probable that much information can be gleaned from the aforementioned campus romances. You who know little about the dippers, Cassiopeia's chair, the North star, Orion, and other astronomical phenomena, may take a few tips from these accomplished men.

PERSIMMONS AND SUGAR CANE

It will be customary for this column to reward Normalites with due recognition for their unusually noble or their unusually perturbing actions. To have a stick of striped Louisiana sugar cane associated with your name will be the sweet compliment that can be bestowed upon you, but should your historic name be mentioned with green persimmon, you may pucker your mouth and hide your head in shame. We hope that more will be deserving sugar cane, rather than the persimmon, and we trust that all will be taken with good spirit.

Our first award, a stick of striped sugar cane, to Miss Winters, history teacher, for accomplishing the feat of keeping most of her class members awake during their entire period. . . . To Professor Alexander, we bestow the honorary degree of Doctor of Love for his interest in the correct pronunciation of the word ROMANCE. Mr. Alexander, in one of his English classes, was quite perturbed by the incorrect pronunciation of this oft-used word.

FLASHES!!

Matron of the boy's dorm, Mrs. Hattie B. Hayes, one of the most seasoned of Normal football followers, may be seen sitting in the stands and viewing practice scrimmages between the varsity and freshman squads.

Doc Stroud was shy and flustered when he was telling boys to "refrain from too much of this mushy stuff on the campus during the day." Doc says that "Inasmuch as man supports his wife from the wedding day on, the woman should do the pursuing before then—and the man should run like hell!"

GIRLS WE LIKE.

LaVerne Whitener, for her vivacity and sportive spirit. Isobel Page for her unassuming sweetness.

BOYS WE LIKE.

Payne Mahfouz, for his fine sportsmanship and cultured ways.

Ruth Thomas, and Eloise Welborn.

The members and pledges of Theta Sigma Upsilon were entertained at a Hallowe'en party Friday night, October 30, at Mrs. Sadie Keegan's camp. The camp was decorated effectively in orange and black. The spirit of Hallowe'en was carried out in the games as well as in the refreshments.

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

The pledges of Phi chapter have elected the following officers: Katherine Kearney, president; Marjorie Gaunt, vice-president; Frances Allday, secretary; Eloise Major, treasurer; Sammie Hill, chaplain; Sara Fryar, appointed social service chairman.

DEMETER

Demeter fraternity announces a tentative list of pledges who plan to become members in the very near future. The prospective members are: James Merritt, James Mitchell, Collier Smith, R. W. Colquette, R. N. Creed, James Hilborn, Bill Loftin, Milton McGee, Edmund Smart, Louis Barabrouse, Julius Bradley, James Austin, R. H. Johnson, Charles Mathis, Yves Soileau, Ozzro Rodgers, and several others who as yet have not signified their intentions.

Initiation ceremonies are being planned for a day in the near future. Arrangements are also being made for a program of expansion for the agricultural fraternity.

NORMAL GRIDMEN TO MEET TWO MAJOR FOES

MEMBER OF LOCAL PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN GIVES VIEWS OF OLYMPIAD

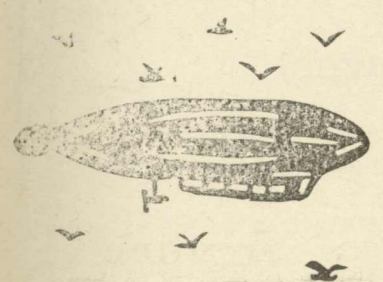
(Editor's Note: The Current Sauce publishes with pleasure this article written by Mrs. William Pierson, member of the Physical Education department of the college, who attended the Olympic games of this year. Mrs. Pierson was physical education director on board her ship.)

August 1 to 16
Berlin, Germany.

In a riot of color and music and ceremonial splendor that could not be dimmed by leaden skies, the sixteen-day period of the Berlin Olympic Games, celebrating the eleventh Olympiad of modern times, was inaugurated under the patronage of Chancellor Adolf Hitler, leader of the German people. Into the Olympic stadium jammed an estimated crowd of 110,000, the 5,000 athletes and their leaders of fifty nations. Many dipped their flags with Hitler saluting each team in turn. The U. S. A. was one of four nations not dipping their flags, the others being Bulgaria, Iceland and India.

Hundred Piece Orchestra

The pageant unfolded with a hundred piece symphony orchestra which burst into "Deutschland Über Alles" and the "Harst Wessel Lied" anthems of the country as the entire crowd sang the re-



frains. The Olympic bell with the motto "Call the Youth of the World" began to toll. A hundred flag poles atop the stadium ram-parts, the flags of all the participating nations, interspersed with dozens of Olympic flags of five interlocking circles, were raised in perfect union. There followed an artillery salute that boomed across the Reich Sportfield, the release of thousands of pigeons gave color to the scene. The Zeppelin Hindenburg flew low over the stadium for two hours.

Richard Strauss conducted the orchestra and a chorus of 2,000 men and women in the Olympic hymn he composed for the occasion. Then a runner in track uniform appeared, the last of 3,000 runners who had relayed the flames from Olympia in Greece.

Oath Given

While guns boomed and the pigeons were released and the

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Imps To Meet La. College Kittens At Pineville Today

Coach Faize Mahfouz and his Normal Imps travel to Pineville tonight where the freshmen engage the Louisiana college first year men. This will be the Imps fourth game of the current season and they will be pointing for their third victory

In the Imps' previous games against Leesville high, Tech, and Stephen F. Austin, the Imps looked very good, defeating Leesville 33-0, and Stephen F. Austin, 19-6, losing only to Tech, 16-0, after three scoreless quarters.

The Imps will be without the services of Gentry and Stansbury, regular tackles, who will be out for the remainder of the season. Saucier, halfback, will also be lost to the squad the remainder of the year.

Barrilleaux, a Franklin product, whose blocking and tackling in last week's game with S. F. A. was outstanding, will be sufficiently recovered from minor injuries to be ready for Thursday night's tilt. Gilson, whose playing has been outstanding; Bell, halfback and Murrell, fullback, both flashy running backs will complete the Imps starting backfield Thursday night. Creighton and Renwick at ends; Miller and Dunman, tackles; Eason and Kelly, guards; Allen, center will complete the starting line-up against the Louisiana college freshmen.

W.A.A. Progressing Under New System Of Organization

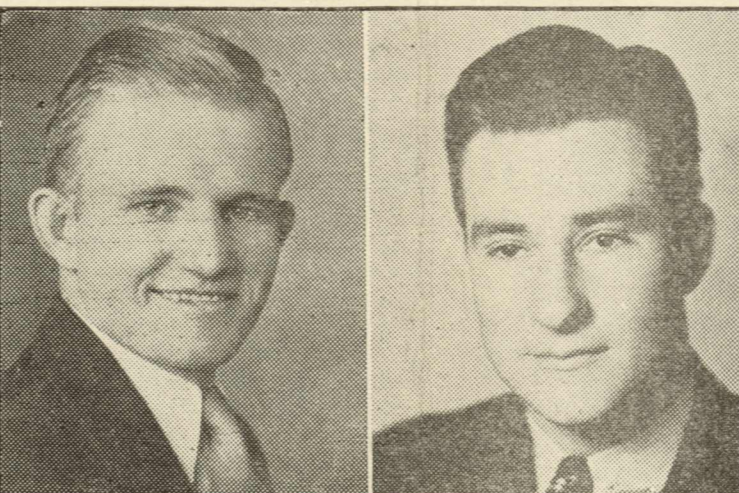
The Women's Athletic Association is rapidly progressing under its new system of organization. This system is the division of various groups into the different types of athletic activities individuals themselves enjoy participating in.

The volleyball teams meet each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon at five o'clock for the purpose of practicing. This practice is under the leadership of Mary Ida Aycock. Drawings for this tournament will be held next week and the tournament will begin immediately.

The Racket Club which is that part of the organization that sponsors tennis was organized this past week. Those who were unable to be at the first meeting and wish to enter into the Tennis Doubles Tournament will report to Margaret Smith on the Athletic Field on Thursday afternoon at five o'clock.

The first official hike of the Outing Club will be Saturday afternoon. This first hike will be to the Fish Hatchery and it will be under the leadership of Martha DePrato.

Grid Players Are Class Presidents



These four football players at the Louisiana State Normal college will have something to think about this year besides the strategy of the gridiron. Named presidents of their respective classes in elections held recently by the students of the State Teachers' college, they will direct the activities of their groups during the 1936-37 session. The new class presidents are, above, left to right: Stoner Moss of Lake Charles, senior class; James Merritt of Bossier City, junior class. Below: Emmett Cope of Haynesville, sophomore class; and E. H. Gilson of Fair Park High School in Shreveport, freshman class. The State Normal college has a record residence enrollment of 1310 students in all four classes this quarter.

Veteran Head Of Physical Education Department Here Honored By His Alma Mater

Dr. C. C. Stroud Is Named On All-Time Eleven At Tufts

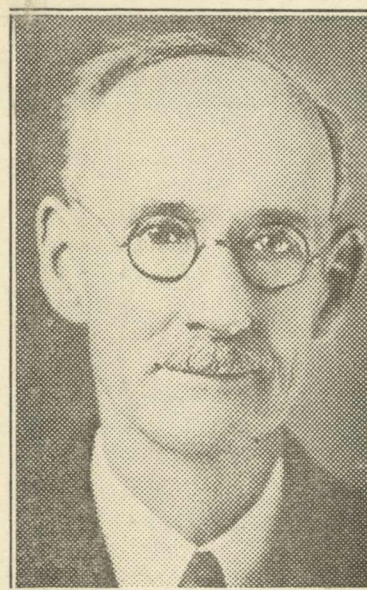
Dr. C. C. Stroud was signally honored by the alumni of Tufts College when he was selected on the All-Time eleven of his Alma Mater last week. This information was revealed to the Current Sauce when it received a letter from Everett, Massachusetts, this week with a newspaper clipping from the Boston Post dated October 28. So far as the Current Sauce staff knows, Dr. Stroud has not been informed of his selection except through this story.

Personal Note

The article from the paper states: "Following a compilation of opinions from prominent athletically inclined alumni, an All-Time Tufts eleven was selected yesterday. Competition for this much coveted distinction ran high, and as a consolation group a second team aggregation was also named." (Dr. Stroud was placed on the first team.) "The oldest to be honored were Charlie Stroud, '94, and Thomas Knight, '02. In his prime Stroud was reputed the "Hinky" of Jumbo football, displaying unusual skill in diagnosing the opposition's offensive at his end post. Charlie is now enrolled as a history professor. (Editor's note: The Boston Post is slightly in error here) at the Louisiana State Normal college."

Letter of Explanation

The letter of explanation sent with the clipping deserves space and comment as well for its viewpoint and touch of humor. "As you will notice, it (referring to the clipping) particularly concerns a Professor Charles Stroud who is a member of your faculty. It might



DR. C. C. STROUD

prove of interest to the student body, and provide them with a new viewpoint and added respect for an 'Old Timer'.

"I'm sending it to you rather than Professor Stroud because he would undoubtedly, through modesty, refrain from mentioning the incident. However, I contend that his ability has been honored and homage is due him. Do we agree? (We do) . . .

"Sincerely,
"A 'Damyante'"

The writer of the letter ends with the following: "P. S. Incidentally I'm an alumnus of Louisiana Tech, and I gloat with delightful anticipation at the decisive defeat that the Tech Bulldogs will hand the Normal Demons."

The Current Sauce appreciates the writer's interest but it feels that he oughtn't to rub it in besides.

of the Millsaps students and faculty members. Those who played against the Majors, report that they are true sports. The Millsaps players are understood to have had the same conception of the Demons' playing. To have two teams, coached as the Demons and Majors, to play good clean football is what is desired in the sports world, and goes for the betterment of football as well as any other sport. It is with schools like Millsaps that the Demons delight in having athletic relation.

The sophomores have been outstanding on this year's Demon squad. After the game against Tech, five first string varsity men started the game and eight saw service throughout the game. Of the group of sophomore stars on the Demons squad, Loomis has been outstanding. Loomis was called upon to fill the shoes of Stoner Moss and has filled the bill by his spectacular playing. He is one of the best defensive players on the squad, and can be relied upon for any extra yardage that is needed.

Following the Centenary game Loomis played 60 minutes of the next three games and has played the majority of those played by the Demons since that time.

Ledet and Flournoy, tackles; Hilmen, guard; Farr, center; Hunt, end; and Harron, Pernici and Cope, backs; have all seen plenty of service.

VARSITY, FRESHMEN PREP FOR TWO GAMES AGAINST TEXAS LUMBERJACKS, LA. COLLEGE KITTENS THIS WEEK

EAST TEXAS LIONS BEAT DEMONS 20-0 HERE SATURDAY

Visitors Make Their Three Touch-Downs By Air Route In First, Third And Fourth Periods

Getting an early lead when they scored in the first minute of play after intercepting a pass deep in the Demons' territory and displaying a strong offense which carried them over for two more scores in the third and fourth quarters, the East Texas State Teachers college Lions of Commerce, Texas defeated the Demon eleven 20 to 0 here Saturday afternoon before one of the largest home-coming crowds to witness the annual featured game.

Taylor made the first Texas touchdown when he carried the ball over from Normal's six inch line after Taylor had lateraled to Defee on Normal's 40 yard stripe and the ball was carried within scoring distance. Texas failed to convert.

Normal threatened to score near the end of the first quarter when Ledet recovered a fumbled punt on the Texans' 17 yard line but the drive was stopped when Montgomery intercepted a Normal pass on the Lions' five yard stripe.

The second quarter resulted in a punting duel with neither squad gaining great advantage in the exchanges and the ball remaining in mid-field most of the game. The half ended with the ball on Texas 25 yard line in their possession.

Taking the ball on their own 38 yard line near the end of the third quarter, the Lions on three passing plays, Taylor to Tully, Defee to Tully and Defee to Pirkey carried the ball over for their second score. Tully converted.

The Texans third marker came in the middle of the fourth quarter when McDowell intercepted a pass on the Demons' 26 yard line and ran to the 16. After two plays through the line McDowell threw a pass to Defee who in turn lateraled to Moody and he pushed over for five yards and a score. McDowell converted.

The Texans made 16 first downs to six for the Demons. Ten of the Texans first downs came from scrimmage plays, six from passes. The Normal eleven made five first downs from scrimmage, one from passes. The Commerce team made 176 yards from scrimmage to 118 for Normal. Both teams attempted 22 passes with Texas completing 10 for 157 yards and Normal three for 19 yards. Four of the Texans passes were intercepted

Preparing for another twin bill this week which will send them off the campus against two major foes, the Louisiana State Normal college varsity and frosh squads stepped through stiff scrimmage periods early this week under the close scrutiny of Coaches Turpin, Aillet and Mahfouz who, in large measure, personally directed the plays on both offense and defense.

The freshmen will play first this week when they meet the Louisiana college Kittens on the central Louisiana college gridiron Thursday afternoon. The varsity is scheduled to meet a second Texas squad in as many weeks when the Demons clash with their old rivals the Lumberjacks of Stephen F. Austin college of Nacogdoches Friday afternoon on the East Texas college field.

In meeting the frosh squad of Louisiana college, the Imps will be facing their third first-year college team this season. They were defeated 16 to 0 by the strong Louisiana Polytechnic Pups two weeks ago, but last week downed the Stephen F. Austin college freshmen 19 to 7.

Although the Demons lost 20 to 0 to the East Texas Lions of Commerce, Texas in a hard fought game last week, they plowed through the Lions' line for 118 yards to double the entire yardage made through the forward wall of the Texans by four teams they have met this season. Finding the Demons' pass defense spotted, the visitors took to the air for their three touchdowns.

The local varsity threatened to score twice against the Commerce team. One of the drives was stopped by the interception of a pass on the Lions' five yard line, the other by a fumble on the visitors' ten-yard stripe.

The games scheduled for this week will mark the eighth for varsity and the fourth for the freshmen this season. Two more games remain on the Demons' schedule, Mississippi college at Natchitoches on November 20 and the annual Turkey Day classic with Southwestern at Lafayette. The Imps will play one more game with the Southwestern Bull-pups on Normal field.

to six for the Demons. The Lions drew 5 yards in penalties to 10 for the Demons. Normal punted ten times for an average of 39 yards, the Lions five times for an average of 44 yards.

The starting line-ups: East Texas—Tully, left end; Hudek, left tackle; Robnett, left guard; Morpew, center; Hodge, right guard; Pior, right tackle; Rirkey, right end; Taylor, quarterback; Defee, right halfback; Garrison, halfback; Groce, fullback.

Normal—Smolinski, left end; Wagley, left tackle; Mathis, left guard; Farr, center; Piazza, right guard; Slack, right tackle; Perkins, right end; Austin, quarterback; Parker, right halfback; Loomis, left halfback; Bankston, fullback.

Don't Miss These Attractions Come To The

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Shirley Temple

In "The Poor Little Rich Girl" starring Alice Faye, Gloria Stuart, Jack Haley, and Michael Whalen will be at the AMUSU on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 5 and 6.

Admission 10 and 25c

Come and see

"The Return of Sophie Lang" with Gertrude Michael, Sir Guy Standing, and Roy Milland, a risky job full of tight spots and perilous moments. Cartoon and "Adventures of Frank Merriwell" No. 3.

Admission 10 and 25c

On Sunday November 8 Amusu presents

"One Rainy Afternoon" with Frances Lederer, Ida Lupino, Hugh Herbert, and Roland Young. Don't miss this gay rainbow of love and laughter.

Admission 10 and 25c

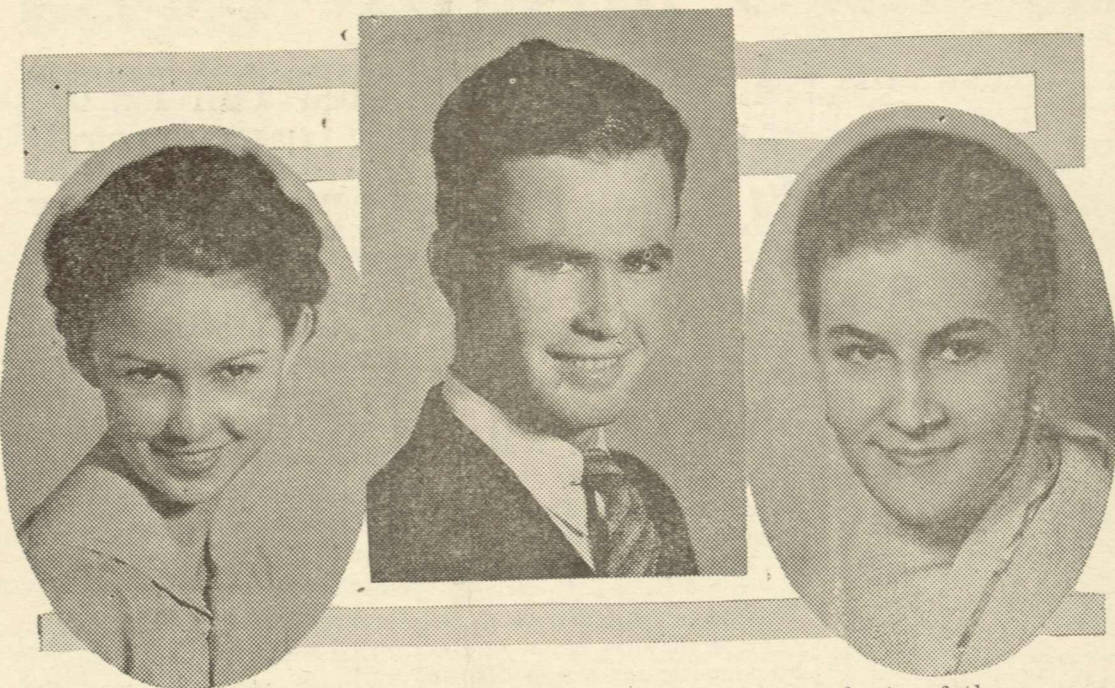
GRID GRIT

Old man jinx blew into the Demon football camp last spring and is yet to be rid of. In the time that he has been here, exactly eight starting players have been sidelined. Last spring JaJames Merritt, star sophomore end last year and one of the best to occupy the terminal for the college in its football history, suffered a knee injury that will keep him out the entire season. A few days following the beginning of fall football, Stoner Moss, captain and star halfback, had to undergo an appendicitis operation. Immediately following the loss of Moss, the services of Mixon Bankston, 210 fullback and a regular last year, were lost when he suffered a fractured foot. Up until the game with Millsaps the Demons were exempt from injuries other than those that prevented a gridster to play in one or two games. In the Millsaps encounter, the jinx struck hard and furious. Wesley Vaughn, a good blocker and defensive man playing his senior football, was removed from the roster with a fractured leg. Along with Vaughn went Emmet Cope, sophomore quarterback, who will be out indefinitely with a hurt knee. Previous to the game with Millsaps, the Demons lost three guards that were considered first stringers, in that one played as much as the other. Holloway quit school to join the Navy; Coyle, senior, received a shoulder and knee injury in the Louisiana College game; Mathis, junior, has been out of action with a knee injury, and in the game last Friday James received a foot injury. Besides the above injuries there are other Demons who are suffering minor hurts which are not serious enough to prevent them seeing action.

The Demon squad is not a very large one and as the injury jinx continues to make it smaller, the Demons' chances to go through the rest of the season undefeated becomes slimmer. However the boys and the coaches have weathered the situation unlike most would do in a similar predicament. The spirit that the boys assumed following the Southeastern game has continued to prevail, and when you see the Demons in action today, you'll see a fighting bunch of purple and white representatives.

Those who made the trip to Jackson for the Millsaps game had nothing but praise and complimentary remarks for the hospitality

LEADING NORMALITES



This is the first of a series of short sketches of prominent students of the campus written for the purpose of acquainting Normalites with those men and women whose work and interest in college activities "make the wheels turn 'round'". The first group pictured above have several things in common: they are all student body association officers which make them student council members; they are seniors who have worked most of their way through school; and each is characterized best by the word likeable.

Isobel Page, better known as "Izzy", was born some twenty years ago in Monroe and has managed to grow to the point where she is now "almost five" feet tall physically but is absolute proof of the saying that "the size of the person below the neck doesn't matter so much as the use of that made above it does" which is proved by the fact that she has an "A-minus" average for her college work and was valedictorian of her class when she was graduated from Neville high school in Monroe a few years back.

She is majoring in commerce which has helped her a good deal while working for Miss Winters the past two years. It was the same Miss Winters who once said something to the effect that she "wouldn't trade 'Little Page' for five people five times her size" when it comes to getting things done.

Besides being vice-president of the Student Body Association, Izzy is president of Phi Alpha Theta, national honorary history fraternity, secretary of Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary educational fraternity, a Pi Kappa Sigma, and a big bundle of frankness when it comes to a question of what is and what is not. Incidentally she dances as well as she officiates.

"The man no one can beat because you can't say anything against him which would be true or would be believed" is the way Jimmie Austin, Student Body president, has been characterized by students during his political career at Normal which started when he was elected president of the freshman class, followed by the presidencies of the sophomore and junior classes and finally his present office. At no time did he resort to "politicking" to further his ends.

Jimmie is a Science-Agriculture major who was born in Greenwood, just this side of the Texas border, twenty-one years ago from where he moved to Mooringsport

Students Hosts

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Discipleship—Dr. E. D. Elliott
10:20 Roll Call of B.S.U. Delegations

10:35 Panel Discussion—Led by Mr. Wm. Hall Preston
11:00 Congregational Singing
11:05 Election of State B.S.U. President

11:10 Looking Ahead to Five Years Evangelism and Enlistment to the State—Mr. F. J. Katz

11:30 Testimony on the Summer Mission Program—Miss Hazel McCardell, L. S. U. and Miss Jewel Bruner, Normal

11:45 Address, "Following His Will in Witnessing"—Dr. J. D. Grey

Meditation Music and Closing Prayer.

Saturday Afternoon

"The Will of God in Life's Work."

2:00 Congregational singing
2:10 Address, "His Will for a More Abundant Life"—Mr. O. B. Webb

2:40 Presentation of Conference Leaders

3:00 Conference Group Meetings

Ideals of Christian Conduct—Dr. Everett Gill, Jr.

Anchoring Our Faith — Rev. John Caylor

Looking Ahead in Life's Work—Dr. J. M. Price

Christian Citizenship — Mr. William Hall Preston

where he has lived for the past sixteen years. While in high school there, he played basketball and football for four years, being captain of the football team in his senior year.

At Normal, Austin has played on the football squad as a reserve backfield man for the past two years and has seen action quite often this year. He is also a letterman in track having led the way in the mile which made him an "N" club member. He is a pledge of Demeter, national agricultural fraternity, and feels that his association with the students has meant the most to him in his college life. He is also keenly interested in biology and has made a fine collection of insects numbering more than a thousand specimens.

The honor of being "Miss Louisiana" at the Dallas Centennial and becoming a member of the Texas Rangerettes didn't pack as much thrill for Ottilie Mae Duncan as did becoming a member of the

"Purple Jacket Club", which organization she now heads as its president and which she feels has "meant the most" to her in college. While at Bolton high school in Alexandria, Ottilie Mae was president of the "Home Ec" club and a member of the "Blue Triangle", a high school counterpart of the "Purple Jackets." She is now nineteen years old, a home-economics major, a Phi Kappa, an Alpha Sigma Alpha, and secretary-treasurer of the Student Body Association.

Ottilie Mae was "Sweetheart of the Football Team" and "Queen of Home-coming" last Thanksgiving. She is unassuming and thinks "it's silly" to make a fuss about her as being a "this or a that" (an opinion expressed when the publicity department of the college made her pose for a lot of photographs).

Besides working, studying, and engaging in extra-curricular activities, Ottilie Mae likes to dance and swim, her two chief diversions when "off duty."

Views of Olympiad

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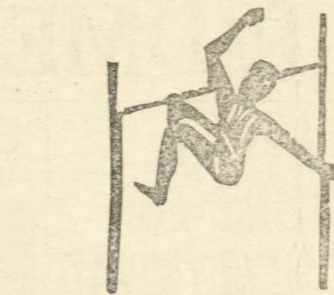
national flags were grouped, the oath was read as follows:

"We swear we will take part in the Olympic games in loyal competition, respecting the regulations which govern them and desirous of participating in them in the true spirit of sportsmanship for the honor of our country and the glory of sport."

The mammoth new stadium for the track and field events was constructed at a cost of more than \$4,000,000. The swimming pool seated 18,000 and the field devoted to polo covers more than 25 acres. This gives a rough idea of the size of the olympic layout. Nothing had been left undone to insure complete accommodations for the visiting athletes. The Olympic village lies among the hills six miles from the stadium. Jesse Owens, negro, U. S. A. was the sensation of the Olympics. His running was so smooth that he did not appear to be making the fast time which he actually achieved. He became the first Olympic triple-winner since Nurmi in 1924, and the first American to fashion a triple in 32 years.

Most Dramatic Contest

One of the most dramatic of the contests was the pole vault which developed into an accidental Oriental duel between America and Japan, repeating the battle of Los Angeles, finally Earl Mead-



ows, slim, darkhaired Texan, emerged supreme with the Olympic record for a sub-startosphere flight of 14 feet, 3 2-10 inches. Forty or fifty thousands of the sell-out crowd remained standing in the wet stands to see it through. They had read in the German Press that whistling was an accepted American manner of cheering. So they alternated with a siren like blast of whistling for the American and a thunder of handclapping for the Nipponese.

Glen "Slats" Hardin former L. S. U. hurdler from Greenwood, Miss., won the 400-meter hurdles beating the world record. We had seen him in track meets before. Helen Stephens of Fulton, Mo. set a world record in the 100-meter dash in 11.4 seconds. The final of the 110 meter hurdle provided a great race, Forrest Towns of Georgia winning by a yard in 14.2. We got to meet Towns, his coach was in our party. Through the coaches Jimmy Crowley of Fordham and Fred Swann of Temple U. we had the opportunity of meeting Grantland Rice, Ted Husing the radio announcer

and the vivacious Eleanor Holm Jarrett.

Olympic Flame Goes Out

At nine p. m., August 16th the Olympic flame flickered and went out, proclaiming the end of the games, what many admit was the greatest Olympic meeting of the modern period. On an unofficial point scoring basis, Germany won with 584 points; the U. S. second, with 389, and Italy third with 155. Though thus eclipsed by the Reich on a scoring system which gives unwarranted importance to minor events, America won the track and field with a total of 12 victories in 23 events. On a point score basis Germany won the women's track and field events but in first places tied with the U. S.

Yet for two weeks in the Olympic city outside of Berlin and in the several stadia in Berlin where more than 100,000 spectators gathered daily to witness events in which 52 nations were competing, a close harmony bearing the clear stamp of internationalism had prevailed without one loud note of discord. Those five interlinking Olympic circles, representing the five continents are strong in their idealism. For the eleventh occasion in modern times that ideal has been achieved and gloriously. It is destined to be realized time and again in the future, until those five rings bind into one a spirit that is greater even than that of Sportsmanship.

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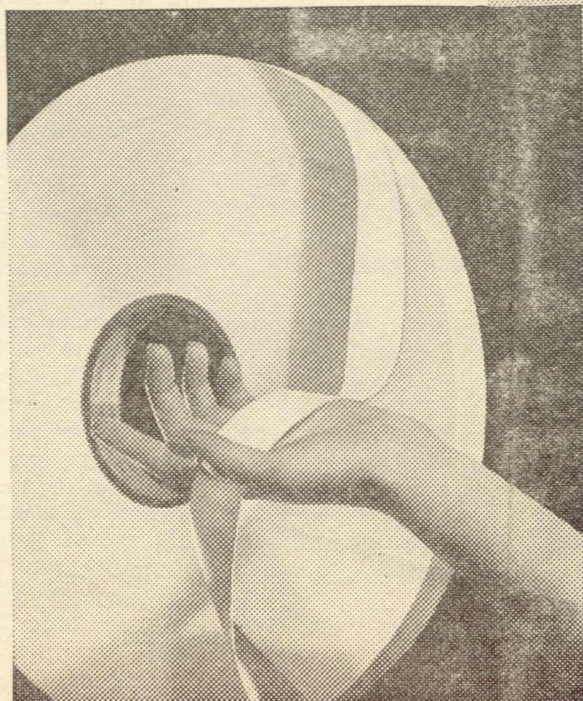
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STUDENTS BEGIN REIGN TODAY

Many Members Of Faculty On L.T.A. Program

Twelve Local Teachers Hold Offices; Eleven To Address Dept. Meetings At Convention

Twenty-five members of the Louisiana State Normal college faculty will appear on the program of the Louisiana Teachers association which convenes Thursday in Monroe for its annual 3-day session, it was announced this week by President Albert A. Fredericks. The State Normal college representation at the Teachers' meet this year is the largest in the history of the State Teachers' college here.

Dr. J. E. Guardia, professor of geography, and Miss Sarah L. C. Clapp, professor of English, will represent the college as official delegates at the convention. Headed by President Fredericks, the faculty of more than 90 members will attend the meeting in a body, affairs of the college being left in the charge of student leaders during the session.

Two musical organizations of the State Normal college will appear on the program during the meetings. The 50-piece college band directed by Professor Gilbert T. Saetre, bandmaster, will play at the second general session Friday; and the men's glee club under the direction of Professor Paul Thornton, head of the music department, will sing at the meeting of vocational guidance department Friday.

The annual State Normal college alumni luncheon will be held at Hotel Frances, Friday at 12:30 p.m. under the auspices of the Ouachita parish chapter of the association headed by D. M. Doughty of Monroe, president. C. O. Holland of Minden is president of the Normal alumni and Professor Leroy S. Miller of the State Normal is secretary-treasurer.

Sixteen Coeds Selected As Annual Beauties

In the class elections held during the past two weeks, sixteen girls have been chosen as candidates for the beauty section of the Potpourri, student body annual.

Among those girls selected are: senior class—Jean Johnson, Bobby Montgomery, Thelma Hickman, and Clara Louise Havard; junior class—Marie Zuelke, Elizabeth Reeves, Jimmie Gray, and Maude Dabney; sophomore class—Dorothy Gamel, James Henri Berkhalter, Alice Marie Clark, and Irble Sasser; freshmen class—Freya Webb, Jane McCardell, Muriel Guenther, and Mary Ida Aycock.

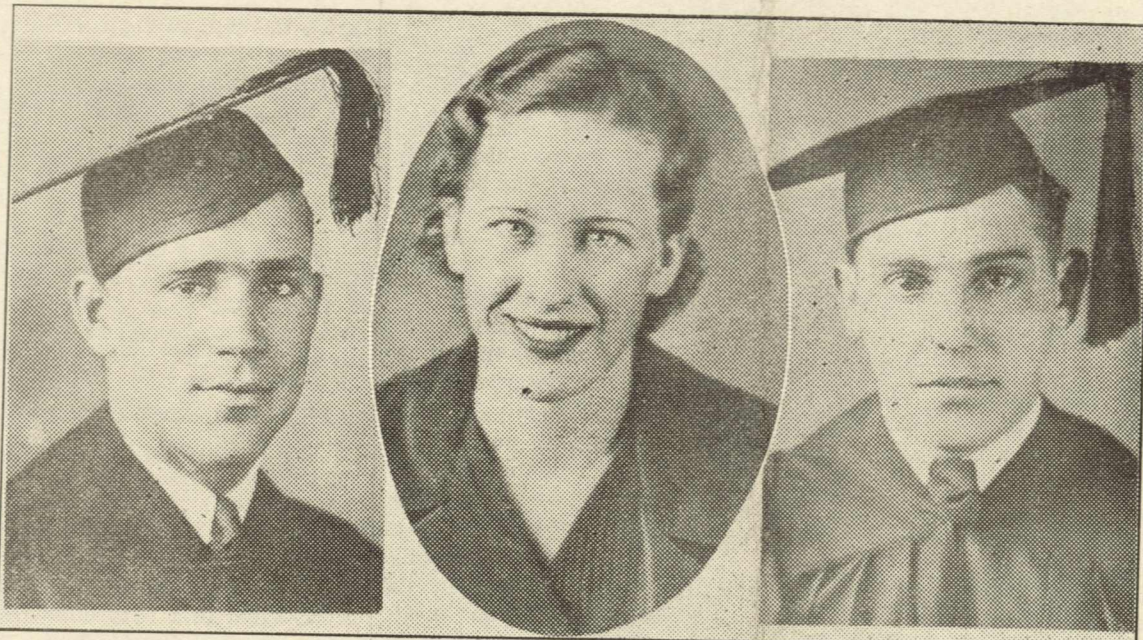
The means of selecting the beauties to appear on the pages of the Potpourri up to this time has not yet been decided.

Even The Walls Have Ears; That Is Why It Is Quiet In The New Library Building

Anyone wanting to get away from noise, cold, or other irritating conditions will soon be able to find a haven in the soundproof, electrically controlled steam heated air of the new library that will complete the academic quadrangle on the Normal campus when the modern building is dedicated early next year. Until it is officially opened, however, perhaps some of the chairs and deventports that are now arranged in the browsing room may be used instead of hard campus benches on romantic evenings.

The luxurious furniture is part of the seven carloads of furniture that is being placed in the various rooms. The browsing room is connected with a moonlit veranda. Words spoken in the new library will not re-echo throughout the

TO GOVERN STATE NORMAL COLLEGE THIS WEEK



These students will take over the reins of administration here today when members of the faculty at the State Teachers' college "break camp" for a three-day holiday period to attend the annual convention of the Louisiana Teachers association at Monroe. The administrative officers were named in an election held by the student association last week. They are: Paul Piazza of Abbeville, right, president; Sims Jackson of Campti, left, dean of men; and Miss Georgie Pickett of Pineville, dean of women. Other student leaders on the campus will teach most of the classes during the teachers' convention Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The plan of giving students first hand experience in managing the affairs of the State Normal college was inaugurated two years ago during the state meeting of teachers. The administrative staff, members of the faculty and students pronounce the project a success.

Davis Players Give Term Play Before Big Crowd

More than two hundred students and faculty members witnessed the producing of "The Tower Room Mystery", a play that was presented last night by the Davis Players under the direction of Miss Annetta Wood, director of dramatics here.

The frank belief of the peasants in werewolves, vampires, and devils involved the characters in an exciting plot. The weird little room in the Chateau Besset-Sur-Aisen, the scene of action, with its spiders and bats, dust and creepy noises added much to the superstition of the atmosphere.

W. O. Jackson playing the leading role as Jack Chalice, portrayed a typical American college graduate who has French relatives. Jack's sister, Kate, a cold, good-looking bachelor maiden, was portrayed by Dorothy Aden. The French maiden who finally stole the heart of Jack Chalice was seen in Marion Reeves.

Other members of the cast were as follows: Kennedy Elsworth, a wisecracking American playwright in love with Kate in a business-like way, played by Harold Mitchell; Madame Boucher, a mad woman played by Marcia Durham; Maman Boule, a French peasant, by Gertrude Palmer; the Master, a vampire by Lloyd Warner; his three wives by Erin Sandlin, Margaret Groves, and Hilda Ann Hair; Maurice Pasquerel, a dapper young Frenchman attendant by J. L. Cullom; Emile Lurdau, a suave concierge of the ancient chateau by J. S. LeBlanc; and Adolph de Boussac, a deaf mute by Clifton Thomas.

Varsity Debaters To Participate In Kansas Meet

The varsity debate squad has been holding regular practice debates in preparation for the many tournaments that will be attended throughout the current debate season. These practices debates held in the social hall are part of the program of the debate meetings held on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 7:00.

It was stated by Mr. Ropp, Director of Forensics, that the first tournament to be attended would be the Inter-State College Debate Tournament held at Winfield, Kansas on December 4 and 5. Two teams, a women's and men's, will represent the Normal in this first tournament. The college will also be represented in the Oratory Extempore contest, which will have as its topic: College Life and Ideals.

Normal Participates

Normal will participate in twelve debates and the Oratory Extempore contest at the Winfield meet. There will be two non-decision rounds, and then four decision rounds with critic judges. On account of the criticism from the Normal and other colleges that the tournament was too strenuous and that it developed into something of an endurance "Marathon" the program this season is not so heavy, and better arranged. This change will correct the marathon evil and give more time for criticisms on debates.

EXAMINATIONS

Final examinations for the fall quarter will begin Friday, December 4, and end December 7, it was announced by W. S. Mitchell, Registrar.

Grades will be given out and classification and registration for the winter term will begin on Tuesday, December 8.

The examination schedule, as prepared by Mr. Mitchell, follows:

Friday, December 4

8:00-9:25	1st period	Monday
9:25-10:50	2nd	"
10:50-12:15	3rd	"
1:15-2:40	4th	"
2:40-4:05	5th	"

Saturday, December 5

8:00-9:25	6th period	Monday
9:25-10:50	1st	Tuesday
10:50-12:15	2nd	"
1:15-2:40	3rd	"
2:40-4:05	4th	"

Monday, December 7

8:00-9:25	5th	"
9:25-10:50	6th	"

Seniors Invested With Right To Wear Insignia

More than a hundred seniors participated in the annual investiture services held in Caldwell auditorium last Saturday when President Albert A. Fredericks pronounced the seniors full fledged candidates for the bachelor's degree and invested them with the privilege of wearing the traditional cap and gown on all official occasions.

Stoner Moss of Lake Charles, presided over the services which opened with a senior procession to the music of the college band. After R. G. Pyle delivered the invocation, Gilbert Saetre played a violin solo which was followed by a speech on the meaning of "Senior Day" by Paul Piazza. Miss Willie Lou Talbot explained the meaning of caps and gowns.

The men's Glee club, under the direction of Professor Thornton, rendered a selection which was followed by President Fredericks' investiture to the seniors. The program closed with the playing of the Alma Mater and the recessional of the seniors.

At noon the class was honored with a dinner in Dining Hall at which time the "Demon Knights" furnished dinner music.

A semi-formal tea in honor of the group was given in Social Hall at 7:30 which was followed by the annual "Senior Day" dance in the women's gymnasium.

Leaders To Direct Activities Of College During Three-Day Meet Of Teachers Association

Custom of Permitting Students To Govern Institution Inaugurated Here Three Years Ago

The administration of the Louisiana State Normal college will be under the directorship of student officials during the three-day annual convention of the Louisiana Teachers Association, which will meet in Monroe, Louisiana on November 19, 20, and 21. Student officials were elected at a recent student body election held in the auditorium of Caldwell Hall.

Paul Piazza was unanimously elected president of the college and Sims Jackson, dean of men, also, received the same unanimous selection by the student body. Miss

Georgie Pickett won out in a close race and will serve in the capacity of dean of women.

This is the first time in the history of this three-day student administrative staff that a junior in the college has ever been selected to serve in this official capacity. Miss Pickett is the junior in the college given this honor. She was chosen from among four nominees.

Student Duties

Administration of official duties by students during the annual L.T.A. convention is now a custom of three years standing. It was inaugurated prior to the convention in 1933 by President Albert A. Fredericks who was then serving his first year as president of the college.

The officials for the three-day period in the two preceding years were: in 1934, George Heard, president; Elece Haygood, dean of women; and Buddy Maxwell, dean of men; in 1935, Guy Wimberly, president; Carrie Bonnie Newell, dean of women; and Van Odom, dean of men.

A.A.U.W. to Assist Advanced Students In Graduate Study

In an announcement made this week by Sarah L. C. Clapp for the Natchitoches Branch of the American Association of University Women, the committee on Graduate Study and the local members are "desirous of assisting in any way possible with the continuation of the training of promising young women and men of the Louisiana State Normal college."

The full announcement as made to faculty members is: The Natchitoches Branch of the American Association of University Women, through its committee on Graduate Study, is prepared to give information concerning graduate fellowships and scholarships in the United States and abroad. Anyone interested in such information is invited to communicate with Dr. Sarah Clapp, Louisiana State Normal college, Natchitoches, Louisiana. Letters of inquiry should indicate the intended field of study, the preferred institutions, and the approximate amount of assistance necessary.

Candidates Listed For Bachelor Degree

Candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree for the fall quarter of 1936 have been announced by Registrar Mitchell this week.

Those to receive this degree are: Mattie Laura Adams, Ruby Alverne Bowen, Curtis Bradshaw, Mrs. Helen Louise Brown, Evelyn Chatelain, Roberta Duffey, Ruth Duffey, Corinne Fournet, Orville J. Hanchey, Clinton Jackson, Mrs. Sarah B. Key, Wallace Peffercorn, Anne Pender, Ruth Ellen Turner, and Rufus Walker.

Those receiving the two-year certificates are as follows: Marjorie Coffey, Ruby DeCuir, Adele Anne Ducote, and Cecil Ross.

Cameras Click As 1937 Edition Of Yearbook At State Normal College Begins To Take Shape

With the click of the camera at important student activities on the campus, the rustling of glamorous gowns, and that last minute peep into any and every available mirror, pictures and other material for the 1937 edition of the Potpourri rapidly takes shape.

This year's edition of L.S.N.C.'s yearbook has promises of being one of the most outstanding editions in many years. Cameras, have of course, grinded before; and fair co's and handsome ed's posed for photographs, but these are, for the most part, the only survivals of the old regime. The publication this year is scheduled for great and numerous changes; changes which the editor, will inform you, are definitely for the

better.

Equipment Expensive

More expensive equipment has facilitated getting better pictures of both still life and that of action. For the first time in many years, the book is going to be illustrated in a two color scheme, and far more important, for the first time in the history of the publication, a definite theme is going to be used throughout the book. Due to the "naturalness" of the many and varied shots which the staff photographers have assembled, a much larger section of the book is going to be dedicated to "Student Activities" than has been heretofore. "Stills" are going to be made from the Normal (Continued on Last Page)

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THINK IT OVER

It seems that the prevailing idea among most Normal College students attending this institution of higher learning is that of making, studying and attending classes a secondary factor in their education. The major activity of many of those enrolled here is the course termed "campus-try". Every one is sent to college with the fact well in the mind of his parents that he is to obtain a broader and more complete education so that he will be more fitted to meet life's tasks and the obligations which will confront him. This should be the true goal of every person furthering his education. This can be attained only through diligent studying and regular class attendance.

Outside interests have a place in the college life of every individual. Extra-curricular activities are an excellent part of one's college life. However, even these should not permit one to become lax in study habits and class attendance. Let these activities share the proper place in life and not overcrowd the primary purpose of enrollment in any institution of higher learning.

Some students are prone to think that athletics, Greek letter organizations, and the social whirl constitute "going to college." It cannot be disputed that these do play an important part, but it should also be borne in mind that these are the secondary elements in this type of education. Their part in the college life is to make individuals well-rounded, and it is through this medium only that an individual's life can be the full one it should be.

A more outstanding reason for studying is that without it one cannot attain the academic rating necessary to complete the curriculum pursued. This is also a factor which has a great bearing on the standing of the college. If no definite standard is set up, then the position of the college is lowered. It is up to the students to uphold these standards. It is the student body that either raises or lowers the position of any college. In the long run by negligent study habits one does not only injure himself but places the school in the rating list in a much lowered position.

From the individual's point of view, he is here to become educated and do so in such a manner that he will be able to meet life's problems.

CONGRATULATIONS NATCHITOCHE

Last Monday, the people of Natchitoches again demonstrated their interest in and support of progressive measures toward the betterment of education within their own parish and within the state when they overwhelming voted for the construction of a modern high school and trades school for this district to supplant the present inadequate plant.

This project should be of particular interest to the Normal college students as the building will be used as a laboratory for those who plan to earn their bachelor degree here. A moment's reflection will clearly show that Natchitoches and the Normal college should have the finest and most up-to-date teaching plant in the state, inasmuch as the State Teachers' college is the leading trainer of students for the public school system.

When the school board sets forth to determine a site for the new structure, this publication feels that, if all factions can be conciliated, a site selected on or near the Normal college campus will furnish a complete teacher training and education center comparable to the best in the country. A site so situated will have a tendency to inculcate within high school students a more genuine desire for intellectual betterment because of the cultural atmosphere of a college nearby.

Regradless of where the new high school is placed, however, the citizens of this community—Natchitoches and the Normal college—are to be congratulated on this progressive step toward making Natchitoches the educational center of Louisiana.

NORMAL LEADS AGAIN

That twenty-five of the faculty members at the Louisiana State Normal college have parts on the program at the Louisiana Teachers association to be held this week-end in Monroe, Louisiana, is highly indicative of the fact that this college is the backbone of the teaching staff of the state.

For the first time in the history of the college, this institution is sending two branches of the music department to this convention. The band as well as the glee club will have a part on this program.

This is the largest number of teachers from this college that has ever contributed to the week-end's convention. In 1933 there were nine members of this faculty who attended the meeting. This number has now grown to almost three times itself in the past three years.

Since this college has such a large representation at the teachers' meeting, it leads one to believe that the Normal College is a leader in public school education in Louisiana.

The Listening Post

We hear that Mary, while strolling along the main street of town, met a handsome young man whom she evidently had known before for when he spoke she remarked to Elsie, "I used to go with that boy. I even took the country out of him."

Boys, there is an awfully cute little freshman named Robbie on the Winnfield bus.

What happened Mattie: Does married life have such an effect on you as to cause you to miss the bus???

We hear that Dinky thought he was insulted when Miss Winters wrote "Stag" on his invitation to the dance.

Someone told us also that the Pleasant Hill folks were pleasantly surprised to see their name in print, but then who has a better right?

We wonder what has come over Mayeaux of the Coushatta bus this term, we hear very little from him anymore!!!

We hear that Clifford Cloutier spends quite a bit of his time on the Winnfield bus lately! Watch him boys!

Does "Lib" Scarborough always have someone else buy her lunch for her with her putting up the cash of course???

The Home Economics department seems to be well represented on the Boyce bus—and boys—they are nice too!!

We hear that Friday the thirteenth brought GOOD LUCK in the shape of birthdays to three of the bus students—Bobbie, Bert, and Gracie!

CASTLE BALLYHOO

In case you see a light in the Demons' Castle late at night or early in the morning, don't get excited, it is only "Frankenstein" Flournoy burning the candle of life.

We notice that Jimmie Austin has been making eyes at Jerry Lyons lately. Maybe Jimmie is falling in love.

"Lio Savage" Hillman turned on the personality in Texas when the Demons played Stephen F. Austin, and was swarmed by some Texas gals that were looking for tickets to the game.

Frank Pernici is wearing sock supporters these days because he says that girls don't like boys that let their socks fall down—a hint to the wise is sufficient—Shakespeare.

It seems as if Sims Jackson is destined to be the Fred Astaire of Normal. Did you see him at the senior dance last Saturday night?

Marie Zuelke is making a strong bid to become a member of the "N" club—or maybe that is Stoner Moss's sweater she is wearing. Who knows?

Smokey and Hart (Yankees) have declared Civil War in the Castle. They have gone in for knocking down doors, mistreating gentlemen, and pouring water all over the floors, but maybe justice will overtake them in the long run.

P. S. We wish Couch would stop worrying us about putting his name in the paper—this cost him two cups of coffee.

MALICIOUS SLANDER!

Not the least of the juicy gossip bits doing the Normal campus currently, is one concerning DeWitt Garrett, editor-elect for the 1936-37 Current Sauce, and his failure to return to college this fall. Among other things the rumor states that Garrett fell in love with some fair Yankee damsel—we hear there are a few—and is to be married soon. Hence, no Normal. Personally, even if this were true, we can't see why falling in love wouldn't be good enough reason for leaving college if circumstances required, but the active gossip mongers seem to think otherwise, seizing upon this assumption as an excuse for alluding that Garrett is a cheap, unappreciative cad for letting the Current Sauce, the debate team, and the Normal in general, down the way he did.

Actually the reasons for DeWitt's failure to return are three, and combined they constitute one very valid reason. They are: the absence of a wage-earning father who died in 1932, an invalid younger sister who was permanently injured in an automobile accident several years ago, and a mother whose possible earning capacity is completely nullified by the necessity of caring for her invalid daughter. The fact being that a living for two handicapped people does not grow willy-nilly on Michigan trees, Garrett decided that the only one who could keep the sinking family ship afloat was himself. Consequently, he is at present employed as a natural gas engineer in Detroit, living there and supporting himself, and also supporting his mother and sister who are at their home about thirty miles outside the city. We think that pursuing studies in college, editing a college paper, working toward collegiate debate championships, and being a college big shot is a lot more pleasant than working eighty hours a week, drilling gas pipes and exploring murky, gas-filled cellars for gas leaks, so we call DeWitt's decision a personal sacrifice and nothing else but.

Possibly those who think he let the college down will recall some points in Garrett's record during his two years here. During his freshman year he was assistant editor for the Current Sauce, one of the mainstays for the varsity debate squad, and a student near the top of the academic honor roll. Last year he was associate editor for the Current Sauce which position kept him in the Current Sauce office many times after midnight working on the paper, a business manager for the Potpourri, varsity debater and a member of the team that won the championship of the south at Gainesville, Florida last spring, and an energetic member of the dramatics club. It might also be pointed out that last spring, dur-

ing the student-administration split, when residents of the Green Castle had been suspended and serious trouble was brewing on the campus, Garrett went to bat for the student body, addressing a hostile faculty and administration in a formal meeting and presenting the student case, at the risk of his own status. When the trouble had been eliminated and a New Deal—the same New Deal for which Garrett had been working all year with his editorials in the Current Sauce—was promised the students, he met in committee meetings with faculty members and other students to revise the rules and regulations and to make the draft for a new student body constitution. This record, we realize, is nothing more than a good many of us would have chalked up in the same circumstances, but nevertheless the record stands as fact, and we think it calls for something more than the circulation of disparaging and besmirching gossip. And certainly, at least, if the desire to support one's mother and invalid sister is reason enough to start dirty rotten rumors, it is reason enough for leaving college.

Hereford Entertains
Coeds In "B" Dorm

Mrs. Ethel Hereford entertained her girls in "B" dormitory with a tea on Monday, November 16. Baskets of yellow and white chrysanthemums lent color to the social room, where the guests assembled. Miss Marjorie Patterson assisted Mrs. Hereford in receiving the guests. Tea and coffee were served at appointed tables by Mrs. Annie Merer and Miss Willie Lou Talbot. Dainty cakes and bon bons were served by Misses Yvonne Saucier, Marretta Firment, Rebecca Coco, Eugenia Cross, Mary Ford, Willie Stroud, and Eleanor Williams.

The guests included the girls of "B" dormitory, Miss Dean Varnado, Mrs. Barclay, Miss Odom, Miss Feltus, Mrs. Bowers, Miss Winters and Miss Rayland.

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

Because of threats made by some of those we have publicized in the past, we have decided to be "sweet" and, by so doing, we may again be friends with our present enemies. It's a queer world and each to his own opinion. . . . We have been informed that the boys at his dining hall table presented W. E. Coyle the other day with a nipple with all its implications. . . . Alton Wagley is getting a bit of fame as a dry wit—in fact, he is reputed to have told Coach Turpin that he met a sixty year old man with whom the Coach is supposed to have played in his younger days. We had no idea the Coach was so far in years.

NEWS FROM THE BUS.

According to a contributor to the column, the girls on the Grant Parish bus are now buying glasses (specs to you) for boys. It all happened this way: one chap annoyed his feminine companion so much that playfully she slapped him, only to find that she had not only knocked him silly but that the lens of his glasses lay in her lap (which makes the third time that this romeo has had his glasses broken by the so-called weaker sex) but he's getting back at them now—threatens to send them a bill for replacements.

A few of the dates of the past week deserve mention—Lawrence Lindsey and Maxine Locke, John D. Bell and Margaret McDuffie, E. H. Gilson and Jane McCardell, Jack Fisher and Mildred Rhodes—girls, we'd like to call to your attention a truly silent man—Kelley Barrealeux. Don't rush him for he blushes easily.

THESE FRESHMEN GIRLS.

The freshmen girls seemed to be in majority at the Senior dance. Did we hear some upper classman wishing their "NEWNESS" would soon wear off? . . . Mary Almeda Ford and Betty Dowty seemed to have a grand time . . . Piccolo was there in full swing—even played football while waiting for another piece to begin. . . . Henry Ford Glass was enjoying all, as usual. Wonder if he wasn't just a little disappointed that they didn't have a grand march? . . . From their looks, Anne Pender and Henry Brown are still seriously interested in each other. . . . Don't some of the boys slightly envy this dashing young lad who is now seen with Freya Webb? . . . We hear that some young ladies were anxious to prove last week that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach. Experiments with that meal seemed to have worked.

IMAGINE THIS!!!!

Margie Haworth and Lynda Lee Renfroe had dinner dates this past Sunday night. We're also told that others on the campus have lately enjoyed this novelty.

QUOTATIONS!!!!

Some of the unusual names of Northwestern University students tend to be alcoholic. There are a couple of Beers, a Booz, a Beerman, a Brewer, a Bender, and a Bock—not to mention six Steins. Some of the non-alcoholic names are: Pond, Pool, Brook, Lake and Rainwater.

An oddity-hunter might raise his eye-brows when he learns that there is a sophomore who is a Frosh, a lawyer who is a Heckler, and two dentists named Toothaker and Jirka. Other surnames tended to become nautical and horsical: Sailor and Seaman and Steed, Stirrup and Saddle. A few other combinations deserve mention: Frizell and Fry, Creed and Motto, and Finger and Bone. Contrary to tradition, Smiths did not lead other names in representation. Johnsons were first with the Millers and Smiths following up in that order.

Perhaps the men at Northwestern University realize the impossibility of ultimately escaping women. Resigning themselves to this inevitability, and trying to facilitate matters for the girls, they proffer these humble suggestions, speaking for the "Fellow Across the Hall."

Wear a DELICATE perfume; otherwise he's liable to think there's a stray cat in your purse.

Be NICE to the poor boy. After all it's his money.

Don't stall him off TOO long; he might not come around again.

When he asks you for a kiss, don't say, "Oh, you'll spoil my make-up." If you do he's apt to spoil your whole make-up.

Wear a good, flavored lipstick, and, by all means, one that COMES OFF. He likes to show it to the boys when he gets home.

Don't take his fraternity pin seriously. HE doesn't.

Don't talk about other fellows when you're with him. Men are FUNNY about that.

CARNATIONS!!!!

We'll extend these to the members of the Senior Class for having such a grand dance! They also had a good Senior Day program.

GARLIC!!!

We'll generalize this token of unappreciation which goes to all those who find "cutting classes" such an enjoyable past time. We would like to present an enormous bunch to those students spreading malicious gossip about one of the past leaders on the campus who for reasons known to himself failed to return to school this fall.

In conclusion we'd like to say that all contributions to this column are appreciated! Don't feel that this is written by any special group! It is a student column and any "good gossip" may be placed in the Current Sauce office or addressed to Box 1088.

Speech Specialist
Speaks to Students

Dr. Claude E. Kantner, associate professor of speech at Louisiana State University, spoke to progressive education classes and before special groups yesterday on "Speech Correction and Speech Pathology."

Dr. Kantner, who received his Ph. D. degree from Wisconsin, came here under the auspices of

the Parent Teachers Association for the purpose of making teachers and parents more cognizant of the speech problems to be overcome in children.

In his talks Dr. Kantner suggested three ways that people might improve their speech: First, by "listening to your own voice, either as recorded or in actual speech"; second, by "following the examples of good models"; third, by "reading aloud" and correcting the errors found in articulation.

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NORMAL DEMONS PLAY LAST HOME GAME FRIDAY

BASKETBALL PLAYERS REPORT FOR EARLY PRACTICE SESSIONS WITH THREE LETTERMEN BACK

Plans Being Formulated For Four Games Before The Christmas Holidays

Nine varsity basketball men answered Coach H. L. Prather's call for early basketball practice which began Monday, October 26, and includes three practice sessions a week.

Among those to report were three lettermen from last year's crack team, McGee, forward, Loftin, guard and Tullos, center. Two men of last year's team, which was one of the best to represent Normal in its many years of successful basketball, will be lost to this year's hardwood team. Billy Baucum, guard, and Brown, guard, finished last spring.

The Imps sent up a group of stellar players. Skinner, guard and center, and Berry, forward, have reported for practice and are expected to bolster considerably the Demons' chances for a formidable team.

Joe Colquette, who was ineligible last year, will be seeking a berth on this year's squad. Joe was outstanding in his freshman and high school basketball days and much is expected of him this year. Walker, a reserve guard last year, is also out for the early practice.

At the completion of the football season, Coach Prather's squad will be swelled by Wyatt, senior forward and a regular last year, Perkins, sophomore guard, and the two Elkins brothers, both sophomores.

Year's Prospects

The prospects for this year's team are bright, and the team, as it lines up on paper, should be the states best. Coach Prather believes his team will be as good offensively this year as last but is uncertain of the defense. However, Normal has always boasted of a strong hardwood team and much is expected of the team this year.

East Texas Teachers will be played here the 11 and 12 of December, and there is a possibility that the Illinois College will be played sometime between the 15 and 21, thereby giving local fans four games before the Christmas holidays. The 7, 8, and 9 of January will probably be spent in touring Mississippi.

Those out for early practice are: McGee, junior; Berry, sophomore; Tinzay, sophomore; Colquette, sophomore; Skinner, sophomore; and Burgess, sophomore.

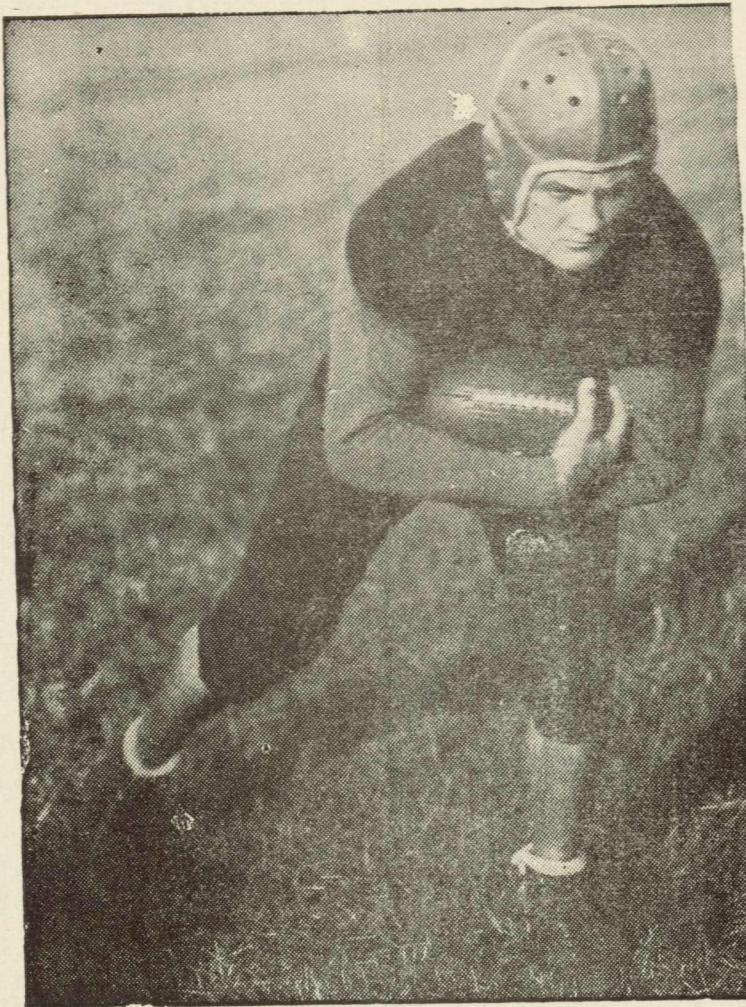
DEMONS WHIP S.F.A. TEACHERS TO TUNE OF 20-7

After surviving a first half studied with spotty playing and a bad case of "fumblyitis" with only 7 points being made against them, the Louisiana Normal Demons came back in the second half and in 16 minutes had piled up 20 points to defeat the Stephen F. Austin Lumberjacks in Natchitoches, Texas, on November 6.

The Demons played the best ball of the season in this second half and displayed the form they have had all season when on foreign soil. Their fine defense and fast-moving offense in this second period of their game with the Oxmen was outstanding, being fired and sustained by fast charging, coupled with fierce tackling and blocking. Led by the ever dependable "Polly" Piazza and Farr, the Demons' star sophomore center, the defense of the Demons pushed the Lumberjacks offense for many losses, while Marvin Wyatt, Harmon, and Sutin kept the Devilmen's offensive moving at a fast clip behind the fine blocking of Loomis, Couch, Hilborn and Farr in the backfield and the entire line.

Returning in the second half with the score 7-0 against them, the Demons launched a drive not less than two minutes after the kickoff at the second period, and in five plays advanced seventy yards to cross the double strip for their first score. The try for the extra point was missed and the Demons trailed by one point but only long enough to regain possession of the ball at which time Marvin Wyatt again dashed in and around the Lumberjack ends, as he had in the Demons' previous drive to place the ball on

YELLOWJACKETS' STAR



Pictured above is Leo Purvis, fleet-footed quarterback of the Mississippi State Teachers Yellowjackets, who will play against the Demons tomorrow afternoon. Purvis is rated as an outstanding candidate for a berth on the mythical all-S.I.A.A. eleven. He is a 160 pound broken-field runner who made the second team of the S.I.A.A. last year.

W.A.A. To Sponsor Mixed Recreation

At the beginning of the next term the Women's Athletic Association is sponsoring a Mixed Recreation. This will be held every Wednesday night from 6:15 until 7:00 o'clock in the Women's gymnasium. Tenuquits, shuffleboard, ping pong, mass volley ball, chess, dominoes, checkers will be the games provided for each member of the student body attending this recreational period.

All members of the student body are invited to attend the first meeting which will be held December 9, 1936 in the Women's gymnasium at 6:15 o'clock.

GRID GRIT

Schools can lack a great many things, and as a general rule most of them do. In most of the cases in which a school is lacking something, whether it be school buildings, athletic field or otherwise, the absence of the particular thing or things can usually be attributed to the lack of finances. However, there is one thing a school should never be lacking in and that is school spirit. Here at Normal, this situation is most acute. I know the comments that this statement will bring, even before this column is read by anyone. The comments will be something of this nature, "How can we yell when we have nothing to yell for? Our team has not won a home game this year." They are truthful when they say the last statement, but is school spirit yelling for the home team only when they are ahead? Are not the boys, even if they are being whipped, fighting their lives out for the school of which they are a part? Don't they devote at least twenty hours of their time every week on the football field working to perfect a team that will win? Just because they have not won the games played here at home it no reason not to show school spirit. In fact it is when they are behind that one should yell most because it is then that they need the encouragement and the evidence from school mates that they are still with them.

When the Demons played Stephen F. Austin two weeks ago, the score in the fourth quarter was 20 to 7 in Normal's favor. Over in the S. F. A. side the band was playing at full blast and the students were standing and cheering. All through this last quarter, with the Demons holding their lead and outplaying the Lumberjacks, the band continued to play and the students continued their cheering. Their team was losing but it was their team that was playing, and the students certainly let everybody know they realized this, as well as that they were still behind them. The members of the Normal team noticed the school spirit the Texas students displayed and wondered why the students here at Normal could not show a typical display of spirit.

I do not wish to infer that the students' lack of pep at ball games have been responsible for the Demons' three defeats here at home. In five games away from home the Normal squad has won three, lost one (to Centenary) and has been tied once; and if yelling would make the team win, they surely would have lost all five of these road games. The purpose of this column, is to get the students to realize that as members of the State Normal College, and as backers of the college football team, win or lose, should voice this fact at the athletic contests, showing a semblance of school spirit.

So tomorrow evening when the Demons play Mississippi Teachers, let's show them we are behind them, win or lose—let's not lack something every school can have when we have everything (except pep) a great many schools have not.

the S.F.A. five yard stripe. At this time Mixon Bankston replaced Wyatt and after a five yard penalty set the ball back to the 10 yard line, this 210 pound Demon, rammed his head into the holes made by the fast charging Normal line four consecutive times; and the fourth time he rammed his way beyond the goal line. Ledet converted and the Demons led 13-6.

The last Demon marker came in the first minute of the fourth period when Harmon passed to Hilborn from the five yard line. Dashes around end by Austin and Harmon moved the Demons down the field to the Jacks goal line.

Following this last touchdown, Slack, made the extra point conversion by a perfect place kick. All of the Normal counters were made in a period of 16 minutes.

Farr, who has played sensational ball all season, continued to show his great defensive ability at the center position sharing honors with Piazza, Jackson and the entire Demon line.

Wyatt, Austin and Harmon ran amuck in the open where the good blocking by the backfield and line placed them.

NORMAL GRIDDERS TO CLASH WITH MISSISSIPPI TEACHERS IN ANNUAL BATTLE HERE TOMORROW AFTERNOON

Coaches Turpin's and Aillet's Charges To Be In Best Shape Of Season For Contest

The Louisiana Normal Demons bring to a close their 1936 home schedule tomorrow evening when they meet the strong Mississippi State Teachers of Hattiesburg on the local field at 2:30 p.m.

For the fourth time the Demons will go upon their home field in quest of a victory which three times previously has been denied them. Southeastern, Tech and East Texas Teachers have defeated the Demons in earlier games on the local gridiron. Tomorrow the Purple and White meets a team that is undefeated, boasting a 12-7 victory over the Tech squad which drubbed the Demons 32-0.

In preparation for the Mississippi Teachers, Coaches Turpin and Aillet have drilled the Demons in long practice sessions, taking advantage of an open date last week by sending the Demons through three long scrimmages in which the offense was given particular attention. The injured and bruised were kept from hard work in order that they might be in the best of condition possible for the game tomorrow. Cope, who has been on the injured roster since the Millsaps game, will be ready for action. Hart and James are also expected to be recovered from their ailments, leaving only Austin, Elkins and Wyatt on the dis-

abled list. With last week's holidared Demons, who have played eight strong teams in as many weeks, and the return of these injured to the team, the Normal squad is expected to be in the best condition of the season.

Led by Purvis, Williamson and Oubre, three shifty backs, the Yellowjackets from Mississippi have a strong offense. In the game with Tech these three men were largely responsible for their team's victory. The Jackets defense is also very strong, being composed of heavy and experienced linemen.

By comparative scores of previous games, the Teachers are favorites, but previous scores do not win games, and the Demons hope to prove this tomorrow.

and scored from the Normal five yard line where the free ball was recovered.

Coach Mahfouz's first year men out played the Pineville Kittens but fumbles and penalties kept them inside the double markers. The Louisiana College aggregation was kept out of the Imps' forty yard line by a sturdy defense.

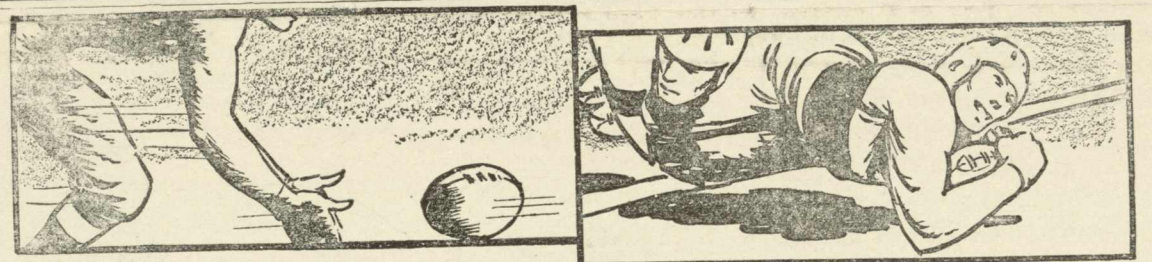
This was the last grid encounter for the Normal freshmen away from home. On November 26 they will play their last game of the season when they meet the Southwestern freshmen on the local athletic field.

Probable lineups: Mississippi Teachers—Garrett, left end; Edmonds, left tackle; Wheat, left guard; Austin, center; Brown, right guard; Smith, right tackle; Bell, right end; Purvis, quarterback; Williamson, left half; Hollingsworth, right half; Odom, fullback. Demons — Smolinski, left end; Slack, left tackle; Mathis, left guard; Farr, center; Piazza, right guard; Ledet, right tackle; Jackson, right end; Couch, quarterback; Parker, right half; Wyatt, left half; Loomis, fullback.

YEARLINGS TIE PINEVILLE FROSH

The Louisiana Normal Imps and Louisiana College Wildcats played a 6-6 tie in Pineville, Louisiana on the night of November 5.

Murriel, Imp halfback, scored the only marker for the Normal freshmen on the second play of the game, with an eighty yard dash off tackle. Louisiana College capitalized an Imp fumble



PICK-UP AND DELIVERY

HERE'S A PLAY with punch and results—a winning touchdown combination for the railroads! It has to do with the handling of less-than-carload or package freight. Some railroads have gone into motor trucking. Others have developed large metal containers that can be swung on and off flat cars. Others have provided rail transfer for loaded trucks or trailers. • All have combined at length in offering a complete free pick-up and delivery service, using motor trucks to and from freight stations. This reduces inter-city trucking and assures railway responsibility for the whole movement at no increase over the previously existing rate for the rail part of the movement alone. • The Illinois Central pioneered among the railroads in giving free pick-up and delivery universal application.

This railroad also led in offering less-than-carload freight service via passenger train at freight rates, in providing free pick-up at the feed-lot for livestock awaiting consolidation into carloads for movement to market, in establishing overnight freight service between points as far apart as Chicago and Memphis. • In such ways an alert railroad makes its own "breaks" for the touchdown that insures victory in business.

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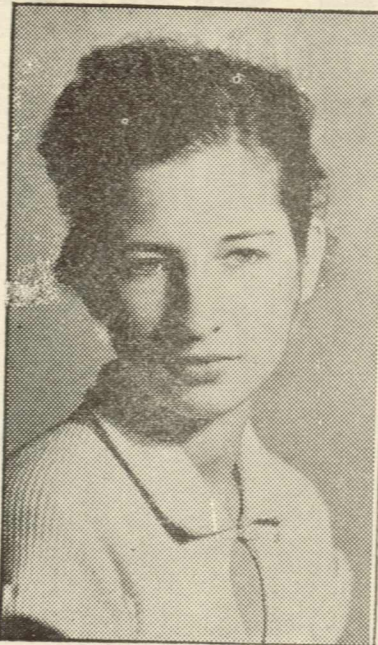
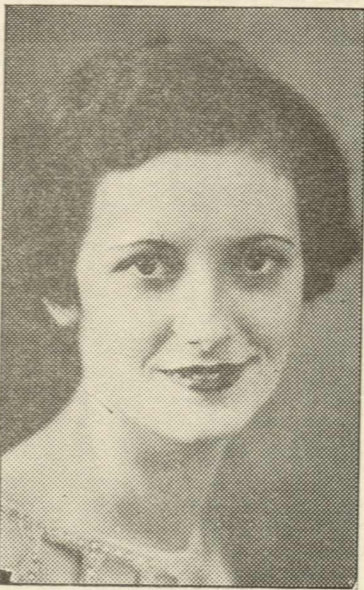
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LEADING NORMALITES



The Normalites whose careers are briefly sketched this week chiefly represent one phase of extra-curricular activity. Miss Marguerite Hanley (left) is editor of the **CURRENT SAUCE**, student paper, and Miss Dorothy Aden is editor of the **POTPOURRI**, college year book.

Marguerite Hanley started out some twenty years ago with a slightly different start than most girls have had. In fact, had she been a member of that group which opposed the famous "Minute-men" of revolutionary days, she would not have been fired at when the order was given not to shoot "until you see the whites of their eyes" for Marguerite strange as it may seem, she has eyes which do not have the traditional "whites" but what might be termed "blues"—the "whites" of her eyes have a decided bluish tint (when kidded about them, she hastens to explain that they are not "porcelain blue" but just naturally that way).

But getting down to more explicit facts, we find that Marguerite has had a good deal to do with newspapers having been associate editor of the Bolton High school paper in Alexandria, a member of the press club there, a member of the Press Association here, and a two year staff member of the **CURRENT SAUCE** before becoming editor this year.

She is a senior who plans to be a dietician "if and when" she graduates (she has hopes for making it by next summer), a Pi Kappa Sigma corresponding secretary, president of both her dormitory council and the Women's Council, a member of Phi Kappa (honorary fine arts club), an Alpha Phi Gamma pledge, and of course a student council mem-

Walls Have Ears

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able stairs. To maintain semi-privacy in the small rooms at the back of the U shaped table in the library lobby, there is erected a mahogany finished pecan fence with gates that will be opened with ease by experienced hands in the library but may cause embarrassment to most students who are curious. However, if one has athletic ability, he may save time and trouble by hurdling the three foot fence. Try both methods—opening the gate and hurdling the fence—and see which is the quicker.

Successful Ventilation

Pure air will be plentiful (six cubic feet of air per person, per minute, to be exact) circulated and warmed from the radiator encasements where a blower is located. The warmth in each room will be regulated at the perfect health temperature, 68 degrees fahrenheit, by individual electric thermostats. When the temperature outside of the library is more than 68 degrees, the thermostats can do nothing to cool the room, however.

It no longer will be necessary to tip-toe through the library, to take great pains, or to be quiet in moving chairs, for the inlaid cork admits no creaks or loud noises. Unlike the chairs in the social hall library today, the new library chairs stand on all four of their legs and do not wobble. Each seat in the visual education room where motion pictures and stereoscopic pictures may be projected, is equipped with a collapsible broadened arm on the right-hand side to be utilized by students when they are writing. No accommodations have been made for left-handed students.

The portable stair case of less than a half-dozen steps that one may see any place in the library, has no banister and apparently leads to nowhere in particular. It will be used by those for whom the upper book shelves are much too high. For those whose reach is slightly short of a desired book, there are several stools about a foot high.

GREEK NOTES

KAPPA DELTA PI

Gamma Phi chapter of Kappa

which is slightly lower than the grades she made in high school, averaging those she got in Oak Ridge, Oakdale and the Natchitoches high schools—at least her education was a scattered one, which started in the elementary grades at Bastrop where she was born.

At Normal she started out as a freshman debater and will have been a four year varsity member when this season's debating starts. During her previous three years of public speaking, she has engaged in more than fifty inter-collegiate contests, having a winning average far above the fifty percent mark. In debate last year, she and LaVerne Whitener won the championship of the Savage Forensic debate tournament held at Durant, Oklahoma, competing against college and university teams of six states. In the final round of the contest, the team defeated Southern Methodist University to earn the largest women's trophy ever given at the tournament. In the Louisiana Debate Tournament held here last February, she and LaVerne won the second place trophy missing first place by one vote.

In addition to her debate work, Dorothy has been a **CURRENT SAUCE** staff member for two years and a member of the Press Association. She is a member of Phi Alpha Theta, honorary history fraternity which requires at least a B average in six semesters' work, vice-president of Alpha Phi Gamma, national journalism fraternity, and an initiate of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority.

Dorothy has been active in dramatics being a member of the Davis Players. Last night she portrayed a feminine lead in the "Tower Room Mystery."

Delta Pi announces the acceptance of bids by the following: Miss Eleanor Elston, Mrs. Alice J. Hardin, Miss Elizabeth Lorbet, and Miss Myrtis Garlington.

PHI KAPPA NU

Phi Kappa Nu fraternity entertained its members, pledges, and guests at a theatre party on the evening of November 13.

Among those who attended the party were: W. E. Coyle, Miss Eloise Weiborn, Sims Jackson, Miss Ottilie Mae Duncan, Jack Douglas, Miss Katherine Tatman, Harold Smolinski, Miss Eugenia Cross, Raymond Szczesniul, Miss Vivian Curl, Bill Hart, Miss Myrtis Sexton, Bill Hamilton, Miss Edna Key, Roy Lewis, Miss Jo Jo Tucker, Walter Ledet, Miss Billie Parker, Kidd Farr, Miss Mildred Smith, Hampden Merrel, Miss Blanche Brown, Wayne Sledge, Miss Katherine Posey, Frank Pernici, Miss Mary Ford, Wilson Lovett, Miss Velma Caston, Bill James, and Miss Marjie Godfrey.

Guests were Gerald Couch and Miss Ruth Lee, Marvin Wyatt and Miss Evelyn Ellzey.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma announces the initiation of Eleanor Williams on Tuesday night, November 10, 1936.

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon announces the initiation of Louise Voorhies on Thursday night, November 12, 1936.

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Pi chapter of Phi Alpha Theta announces the acceptance of bids by the following: Harold Mitchell, John Makar, and Miss Willie Lou Talbot.

DEMETER

Formal initiation and ritual services were held last night by Demeter, national agriculture fraternity, at which time twenty-one men were honored by membership in the club. Informal initiation activities took place on November 12.

The men initiated are: James Merritt, James Mitchell, Jimmie Austin, Elmo Tullos, Milton McGee, William Loftin, Joe Colquette, Jack Malone, Ozzro Rodgers, Yves Soileau, Roy Bass, R. H. Johnson, Louis Barbaouse, Murphy Barr, Gilford Hargis, James Hilborn, R. N. Creed, Edmund Smart, Collier Smith, Cyril Houston, and Julius Bradley.

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

Sigma Sigma Sigma is happy to announce the formal pledging of Misses Charlotte Hart and Margaret Groves on Monday, Nov. 7.

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Kappa chapter announces the pledging of Jane Campbell and Ruth Thomas.

Kappa chapter announces that she won the W. A. A. meet last week.

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

Sigma Sigma Sigma announces the formal pledging of Miss Charlotte Hart and Miss Margaret Groves.

Cameras Click

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newsreels, and forever impetuated by insertion in the book; so with 16 of the 20 beauties already selected; freshman pictures at the engravers, the drawing near of the dead line for all others, and many changes being inaugurated, the Potpourri of 1937 moves rapidly to its completion.

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Last Newsreel Of Year Next Wednesday

Demon Debaters To Enter Kansas Meet This Week

Two Teams Leave Campus Wednesday For Two-Day Tournament Friday, Saturday

Tomorrow and Saturday two Demon varsity debate squads will be participating in the first interstate tournament at Winfield, Kansas. Accompanied by Mr. Ropp, acting as coach and chaperon, the debaters left for Kansas on Wednesday. This is the first time in many years that Normal debaters have attended a tournament before the Christmas holidays. It also marks the first time that the Normal is sending representatives to the Winfield Tournament.

Having culminated their practice debates on Monday of this week, the varsity debaters left for Kansas, where in a series of twelve debates they are expected to iron out any rough edges in their delivery or cases. Previous to their last practice debate, in which the representative women's team composed of Misses Dorothy Aden and LaVerne Whitener met the representative men's team, Al Rodriguez and John Makar, a brief discussion of several fundamental issues of the debate proposition, Resolved: That the Congress should be empowered to fix minimum wages and maximum hour for industry, was given by Professor Alvin Good.

This first tournament will serve to acquaint the Normal debaters to the types of cases used by other colleges and also to compare their ability to that of the leading debate colleges of the South and Southwest.

REPRESENT MEN ON GOVERNING BOARD



These six men of the college have been elected to represent the men students enrolled here on the Men's Council, governing board for conduct of men on and off the campus. They are, top row, left to right: Sims Jackson of Campti, secretary-treasurer; Stoner Moss of Lake Charles, president; Wilbur T. McCain of Colfax. Second row: Robert Easley of Goldonna, vice-president; Fred Patrick of Converse; and Woody Hargrove of Shreveport.

Triple Feature Will Be Offered Students In Final Edition Of Campus Movies Here Next Week

Football Shots of Varsity and Frosh Teams Together With Candid Camera Views to be Shown

As a follow-up of the second and best received of the Normal Newsreel, there will be shown the third, and final edition of the year on Wednesday, December 9, at 7 p.m. in Caldwell Auditorium. The final program for this year will be a triple feature which will include the newsreel campus shots, a comedy, and several vaudeville acts.

Education Class Makes Field Trip To Pineville, La.

On November 18, the first period Education class, under the direction of Mr. O. R. Crew, motored to Pineville, for an all-day visit to the State Colony and Training School and the State Hospital for Insane. Approximately forty students made the journey which proved to be an interesting as well as educational one.

At each institution the director gave the students a lecture outlining the various types and kinds of inmates which it housed and explaining the underlying causes of such misfortunes. In connection with the lecture, the students were shown around the establishments to discover the many and varied facilities used in such work.

After devoting the entire morning to the study of the State Colony and Training School (school for feeble-mindedness) the class lunched at Alexandria and spent the remainder of the afternoon at the State Hospital for Insane where the same procedure was followed. Of the two institutions the State Hospital, in the opinion of the class, proved to be the more interesting.

The trip to these institutions, only recently introduced, has proved itself so popular and of much benefit to the students that it is becoming an accepted part of the freshman courses in Education.

Eight Freshmen Rank High In Tests Given Here

Highest ranking freshmen in tests given earlier in the year were announced this week by Otis R. Crew, director of the personnel department of the college.

Of the 485 freshmen taking the examination, those scoring highest were: Elizabeth Robertson, Bobby Wise, Connie Sills, Lulie Nabors, Marjorie Holloway, Frances Allday, Lucy Bailey, and Evelyn Morrow.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS TO BEGIN DEC. 19

The Official dates for the Christmas holidays have recently been announced by H. Lee Prather, Dean of the college.

The holidays will begin Saturday, December 19, 1936 and will close Monday morning, January 4, 1937. Students are to be back here in time for classes on Monday morning.

The newsreel, the longest yet produced, will be 450 feet in length and the feature will have, in honor of the football varsity and freshman squads and the coaches, all of the Mississippi game both in plain and in technicolor. The variety of shots and activities besides football will include such shots as Jimmy Austin, Milton Magee, Joe Colquette and others being initiated into Demeter. Scenes in color of a bull fight put on by two bellicose Normalites, shots of Professor Alexander proving that the pugnacity of the Spartan is still in him, Stoner Moss and Polly Piazza on the golf course and shots on the tennis courts including spectators more involved in amorous pursuits and in eating chocolates than watching these sports, will be seen.

The complete senior class will be seen marching out of Caldwell on Senior day in close-up shots, and then a panoramic shot of them on the steps of the library is also shown.

Close-up shots of the freshman beauties elected to be candidates for the beauty section of the Potpourri are included, and a panoramic shot of the whole freshmen class. Other shots will include a fellow named Hands walking on his hands, and students at the dining hall entrance waiting for the bell.

The vaudeville show under the direction of Miss Marjorie Patterson will have several outstanding dance numbers as a feature. According to Miss Patterson the acts will be novel and the singing along with the dancing and other musical additions will make the show "not bad."

Final Tests Of Fall Quarter To Begin Tomorrow

Grades To Be Given Students Before Classification And Registration Next Tuesday

Final examinations for the fall quarter will begin on Friday, Dec. 4, 1936 and end on Dec. 7, was the announcement made by W. S. Mitchell, registrar here at the Louisiana State Normal College.

On Tuesday, December 8, grades will be given out followed by classification and registration for the winter term.

The examination schedule for Friday, December 4, for Monday classes is as follows: first period tests from 8:00 a. m. till 9:25, and second period from 9:25 to 10:50. Third period will take tests from 10:50 till 12:15. Two test will be given on Friday afternoon which are the fourth period from 1:15 till 2:40 followed by fifth hour classes from 2:40 to 4:05.

Sixth period Monday classes will take final tests on Saturday, December 5, from 8:00 a. m. to 9:25 a.m. Tuesday class exams will begin with first period classes from 9:25 till 10:50. From 10:50 to 12:15, students will take second period exams. On Saturday afternoon third and fourth period Tuesday classes will take their exams. The former will be taken from 1:15 to 2:40, the latter from 2:40 to 4:05.

On Monday, December 7, fifth and sixth period Tuesday classes will complete the work for this quarter. Fifth period classes will meet at 8:00 a.m. until 9:25 and sixth period class exams from 9:25 to 10:50.

Mental Hygiene Society Holding First Meeting

Members Of New Organization Here Elect Officers; Prof. Sudbury, Sponsor

The Mental Hygiene Society, sponsored by the two 227 psychology classes of Mr. Sudbury met for the first time Friday night at seven o'clock. The following officers were elected: President, Charles Loomis; vice president, Etile Fogle; secretary-treasurer, Chloe Crawford; program committee chairman, Bertha Mae Fisher.

The first program consisted of three talks. The first talk, by Arlie Dennison, concerned the founder of the national society, Mr. Clifford Benrs. Mr. Sudbury then told about the society here on the campus, its origin, purpose, and history. Carrol Killen gave a talk on the Mental Hygiene magazine which the Louisiana State Normal library subscribes.

The society will meet once a month. Anyone who is interested may join the society. So far there are twelve charter members.

Aptitude Test To Be Given In W. E. 304 Today

Students Planning To Apply For Medical School Entrance To Take Test

On December 4 the Association of American Medical Colleges' Aptitude test will be given to all students who expect to apply for entrance to a medical school by the fall of 1937. This test has been adopted by the association as one of the normal requirements for admission to a medical school. This is the only time this year that the examination will be given.

Those students wishing to take the test will apply to H. J. Sudbury. The test will be given in Warren Easton Hall, room 304. A fee of \$1.00 will be required of each student taking the test.

Holland To Head Normal Alumni Another Year

Avery, Miller, Re-elected To Serve As Officers Of Association During 1937 Session

O. O. Holland of Minden was re-elected president of the State Normal College Alumni association at the annual meeting of the organization in Monroe on November 20. Professor W. J. Avery, director of extension at the State Normal college, was re-elected vice-president; and Professor Leroy S. Miller of the science department, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Miss Elizabeth Taylor of Shreveport was re-elected to serve on the executive committee of the association. Other members of the board are Joe Farrar of Baton Rouge, Fred Cummings of Bossier City and E. S. Aiken of Alexandria.

The annual luncheon held at Hotel Frances under the direction of the Ouachita parish chapter of the association was one of the largest attended in the history of the association. Miss Kate Perkins was toastmistress at the luncheon. Music was furnished by the 50-piece college band under the direction of Gilbert T. Saetre, bandmaster; and the Men's Glee Club of the college under the direction of Professor Paul Thornton, head of the department of music here.

Newman Club Adds Forty-Eight Members to Roster

At impressive initiation ceremonies held recently, the Newman Club added forty-eight students to its roster.

Only candles, dimly lit the Caldwell auditorium as the masked pledges, the girls in white and the boys in black, took their oath of allegiance then removed their masks. A short history of Cardinal Newman's life was given and an explanation of the club emblem was made.

At their last meeting, the Newman Club elected Margaret Amrhein to replace Bell Bollinger as correspondence secretary.

Normal College Represented At Southern Meet

President Albert A. Fredericks and Dr. Sarah L. C. Clapp of the English department are representing the State Normal college at the annual meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools being held in Richmond, Va., this week.

Delegates representing the college have attended the meeting yearly since the Normal was granted membership in the association several years ago.

The Normal college is also a member of the American Association of Teachers' Colleges.

Copy For Two Classes Sent By Potpourri Staff

1937 Yearbook To Have Larger Number Of Pictures Than Former Volumes

Pictures for the freshman and sophomore classes have been submitted to the engraver and copy for these two sections has been mailed to the printer, it was announced this week by Miss Dorothy Aden, editor of the 1937 Potpourri. It is believed that this is the earliest date that such a large amount of copy has been submitted to the builders of the college annual.

Although many students failed to take advantage of the dates set for their photographs, the pictures of more students enrolled in the college will appear in this year's book than in volumes published during the last few years, authorities of the publication department announced.

The last four of the beauties for the 1937 Potpourri have been selected. These were chosen at a recent student body election.

These girls who complete the twenty of outstanding pulchritude are Jean Hall, Alma Dezendorf, Corrie Smith, and Mary Almeda Ford.

From this group will be selected the pictures of those girls who will appear on the pages of the college yearbook.

"WHEN THE CAT IS AWAY, THE MICE WILL PLAY"

(A news-feature with a moral)

Like the proverbial mice that played when the cat was away, the Normal students acted freely while the college faculty and administration were at Monroe, La., attending the annual convention of the Louisiana Teachers Association, November 19, 20, and 21. On those days the college was under the administration of Paul Piazza, president, Sims Jackson,

dean of men, and Georgie Pickett, dean of women. Select students acted as teachers.

Mr. Piazza gained the distinction of being the most liberal and most active president in the history of Normal. During his reign, he dismissed about half of the schedule of classes, arranged for a special dance, personally attended some classes, captained the Normal grid squad, and played golf. However, he refused to al-

low his personal secretary leave of absence, and refused a student's request for the donation of \$500 of school funds to a "worthy cause."

Football Comes First

Football seemed to take precedence over more serious matters such as breaking rules, attending classes, and retiring early. President Piazza dismissed the afternoon classes on Friday because of the final scheduled home

football game of the season played against the Mississippi Teachers. When asked what he would do if during the game a co-ed broke one of the college rules, Piazza, who would then be in the capacity of team captain, replied: "The game must go on."

When the Normal team arose victorious after the game, captain Piazza immediately re-assumed presidency of the college and pro-

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FINAL EXAMINATIONS

Are final examinations a fair criterion upon which to base the rating of a student? Many will very forcefully say that they do not believe that the score made on one test over so broad a scope should be the determining factor in ranking a student in his classwork.

On the other hand, if a student prepares his work regularly and attends his classes in a routine fashion, why should final examinations be the great "monster" that every one dreads? If a person is of average intelligence and is a student who conscientiously does his work, it is not necessary that the usual last minute "cramming" be done.

If a person has carried out the prerequisites of final examinations, he should be capable of "making the grade". Failure of these tests in most cases results from factors which the student has been responsible for himself.

There is another type of persons who dreads the final test. It is that group who goes about saying that this professor is too hard and that another expects too much of his students. Is this true? Are they not college students, and are they not capable of carrying the load? Then there is the group who constantly make a practice of "cutting" classes. These are the ones who contend that "my professor does not teach anything." Do they really know whether he does or not?

Reconsider the value of final examinations! Why are they dreaded? Are they of any value?

THE DEMONS "REDEEM" THEMSELVES

Substantiating the belief which the Current Sauce has held in the Demon gridders all season, the local football players not only upset the dope when they defeated a highly touted team from Mississippi and added to their laurels Thanksgiving day when they defeated their traditional rivals, the Southwestern Bulldogs, but also repudiated the "fair weather" rooters of the local campus who failed to lend their support in the last home game of the season.

The Demons clearly stood at the end of the season as the most improved team in college circles in Louisiana. Getting off to a poor start because of many injuries, the Demons wound up their home season by defeating a team that earlier in the year took the measure of Louisiana Tech—the same Tech team which defeated the Demons a week later when seven regulars were out of the line-up with injuries.

Although the college will lose seven players through graduation, the Current Sauce predicts that the 1937 edition of the football squad will have the same fighting spirit which carried them through an adverse season to the pinnacle of success.

NORMAL LEADS IN MUSIC

With the development of three outstanding musical organizations on the campus, the Louisiana State Normal College has reason to be proud of its music department. Such progress has largely been due to the untiring efforts of both the music faculty and the students enrolled in the various music courses.

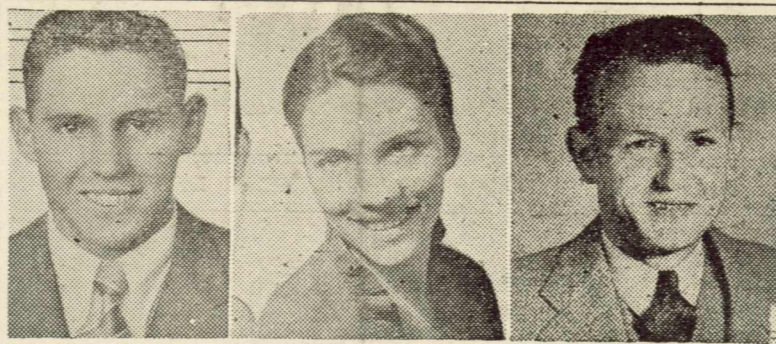
The fact that such excellent music groups have been organized here is indicative of the fact that the Normal is leading in the field of music in Louisiana today. They constitute the outward expression of the high class of work being done in the music department. Another indication of the leadership in music appreciation is the announcement this week that the State Vocal Festival will be held on the campus next spring.

The college took the lead in music education last summer when it offered the supervisors and teachers of music in the state a special course.

The band has been enlarged this year and is now at the optimum development since its organization several years ago. It had an outstanding part on the program at the Louisiana State Teachers' Association held recently in Monroe where it was acclaimed by music critics as one of the best of its kind in Louisiana today.

Other music organizations of which the college boasts are the women's choral group known as the Treble Clef Club and the Men's Glee Club. Both of these organizations have plans for touring the state during the winter and spring terms.

LEADING NORMALITES



Today's brief review of leading Normal students covers the activities of three people who head the religious organizations of the campus. From left to right they are Paul Piazza, president of the Newman Club, Miss Wanda Kuntz, president of the Y.W.C.A., and Robert Easley, president of the Y.M.C.A. They are all members of the student council.

Paul Piazza

A senior majoring in the commerce curriculum, Paul "Polly" Piazza, has virtually "given his all" to football while at Normal. This season, which marks the last of the four which he has played here, found "Polly" not only captain of the team and a "sixty minute man" at guard but also president of the Lambda Zeta fraternity, president of the Newman Club, vice-president of the "N" Club, and, for a brief but momentous period, president of the college during the L.T.A. convention (activities described in another part of paper).

Despite the fact that most of his time is taken up with football, Paul will graduate at the end of the spring term with an "above the average" average in the regular time of four years which proves that a man can play football and attend to his studies as well.

His home is in Abbeville where he was born some twenty-two years ago. In high school he played basketball for four years and for diversion participated in track for three years. Besides sports, his chief hobby is hunting.

Incidentally, he speaks three different languages—English, French and Italian, has worked all the time that he has been at Normal, plans to be a teacher, dislikes girls "who want to run around all the time", and likes the "home-loving, quiet type."

Miss Wanda Kuntz

Miss Wanda Kuntz, who hails from Kinder, is twenty years old and devotes most of her time to Y.W.C.A. work which she feels feels has meant more to her than any other activity in which she has taken part at the Normal. She has been a member of the Y.W.C.A. council for two years and now heads that organization.

Besides work in the religious field she has engaged in dramatics for three years, having been a member of the Junior Dramatic Club and now a member of the

Davis Players.

Wanda is majoring in the kindergarten-primary curriculum in which field she plans to teach for "at least two years." What she plans to do after that time, she has not disclosed which opens up the subject for a bit of speculation.

Just as are most women, Miss Kuntz is "happy when talking," and in common with a goodly majority, dislikes studying very much. If one could call sleeping a hobby, one could say that she likes that hobby as well as reading.

Robert Easley

Just as does Piazza, so does Robert Easley head his fraternity, Sigma Tau Gamma, maintain a slightly less than B average, worked his way through school, study in the commerce curriculum but does not plan to teach if other arrangements can be made. When he graduates from the Normal, he hopes to go to L.S.U. where he will follow a commerce and business curriculum for his master's degree.

Robert was born in Blenville parish a few years back, graduated from the Goldonna High School with a "valedictorian" average in his studies but stayed out of school for several years during which time he worked as a mechanic in Bastrop.

He has among his hobbies, one which is not engaged in by many people—speed boat driving which has given him plenty of unscheduled baths. Next to speed boat spills, he likes to go hunting and fishing at every opportunity and when forced to will play bridge as an indoor diversion.

Robert has no special likes or dislikes, just taking "life as it is, come what may". He is, by the way, one of the main stays of the Hill-Billy Band which is now in the process of reorganization—he plays the violin, guitar and the banjo with such vim that he puts to shame many of the "radio" hill billies.

The Listening Post

We hear that Mary Ethridge has a habit of pulling her companions' ears! How about it Mary?

And does Dimples Cook mean it when she says, "Men are the least of my worries?"

So Sam Mayeaux thinks we just haven't been listening for him, eh?

We wonder why the busses are so popular on week-ends and holidays?

We hear that Mr. Martin considers himself as quite a man about the busses!

The Many bus students were greatly surprised that Gracie Mae Idom was allowed to return from Pineville by the authorities.

We hear that Minnie Nell Thomas from Winnfield has earned the very appropriate name of "Two-Gun." We wonder why?

We wonder why Woodrow Wilson always says, "Let's take a vote on it?"

We hear that Dinky Warren is having quite a bit of trouble making up his mind about the women. Personally, we vote for "Red" Ragan.

Why were the Grant Parish bus members all in the air about the waiting they did at our last home game. And they got in the movies, too!

We hear that Vetra Tollison and Otis Luttrell are that way about each other.

We hear that Nell Duffy has a hobby of stamping gray mules (not horses). Rather childish for a college student but then Christmas is coming.

We hear that Ray Turner finds quite an attraction on the Grant Parish bus!!

This column regrets that it has in times past referred to the

STYLE HINTS

With the rain last week-end came one of our pet aversions—BOOTS. Boots are quite all right when astride the steed or in very deep snow, but as for wearing them with dresses and fur coats, we think it's most too much.

We wish that our dating couples could agree on these two things: that the girls wear hats at least on Sunday, (and other nights out, too, if it isn't asking too much), and that the boys wear coats and ties when with them. While on the subject we'd like to see more coats at Sunday dinner in Dining Hall.

Maybe you haven't heard but the stylists have shortened dresses two inches (and three for those with shapely legs) since last season.

Earrings are to be worn for dress occasions and not to school. . . . Veils should never be worn with street clothes after six o'clock.

Public gum chewing detracts immensely from one's appearance.

This is our first column as we suppose you have guessed. If you have any criticisms adverse or otherwise please leave them with the Editor.

Signed:

FAD and MODE

Pleasant Hill bus as such. We hear that the bus has changed and is in reality only from Marthaville. We're sorry.

Was it in retaliation for Bob Holdzkom's having passed without speaking on his way back from Alexandria that caused Bobbie Arledge to sit on Max Hardberger's knees or was it the crowded condition of the bus???

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

LUCKY LAD

Is there one lucky lad! Just think of it, Jean Hall is to be married during the Christmas holidays. Carnations and best wishes to the happy pair. . . .

Also, we would like to extend our best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher. . . . It has been rumored that another couple took the fatal step, but as yet we have no definite evidence.

DIFFERENT EFFECTS OF THE WEATHER.

Just what causes these things, we do not, know, but, nevertheless, a number of the Normal "lovers" tramped to town on Sunday night! Rain or shine, these Normal couples must get out in the fresh air and be out under the wide open spaces in order that they might gaze at the stars and moon. . . . But maybe the feeling is not unanimous. A romantic soul asks: "If Winter Comes, Can Spring be Far Behind?" . . . and here he analyzes the situation in flowery passion for nature and girls:

Winter has come to the South!

The once full foliage of the trees is gone; the leaves tumble down; some of them yellow, and black, and pale and hectic red—beautiful to see, but reminding of a faded summer love. . . . Where romantic hearts beat, winter is not wanted, for only beneath the somber darkness of a spring or summer sky is the time right for the romantic. Springtime is conducive to poetry and star gazing. In the spring, the trees awaken from their sleep and don a new dress, when the birds return and sing of their happiness. We sing then, too, but more secretly: In the flush of a reawakened love, we sing to a beautiful damsel: of her deep, limpid eyes, soft, lovely hair, and soft, fresh complexion—Ah! 'tis love longing in our soul. . . .

HORRORS! A MAN!

"It sounded like an insane asylum in dormitory 'B'," said Mrs. Hereford, "When a stranger of the stronger sex walked into 'No Man's Land.'" Girls' screams rang throughout the campus when a man entered "B" dormitory and asked if the football boys stayed there. He was frightened almost speechless by the screaming co-eds.

THE FLAME STILL BURNS.

It seems only fair that we mention "Polly" Piazza and Willie Lou Talbot, two campus leaders. They still have the same mutual interest. . . . Jerry Lyons and Jimmie Austin, an ideal pair, are practically inseparable. This has been the case for quite a number of years. . . . It seems that Harold Mitchell gets around, but his flowering interest is planted with Daisy Roy. . . . And, of course, drum major supreme, Rayford McLean, is ostensibly affectionate toward H. Magee, although he is by no means bashful in the presence of other co-eds. . . .

GIRLS WE LIKE.

Beth Reeves, for her pretty smile.

Rosemary Lawes, for her pleasing personality.

BOYS WE LIKE.

Stoner Moss, for his blue eyes and his friendly modesty.

Marvin Hatcher, for his mature understanding and sympathy with freshmen.

GOOD NEWS!

News to all Normal students! The "Big Broadcast of 1937" will be here December 3 and 4. New clowning by Bob Burns and Martha Raye, and a lot of swinging by Benny Goodman and his orchestra will be conglomerated into one grand picture!

NO WONDER!

No wonder the campus seemed to be dead this week-end. Frances Houston left us to spend a day in Mansfield! . . . Among our fan mail was this note from "Aroused Students":

"We wonder if it was for the express purpose of erasing her absences that a certain girl managed to take her gym class for the appointed student teacher. We also wonder if she succeeded in getting away with it. . . ."

PERSIMMONS AND SUGAR CANE.

A green persimmon is unceremoniously awarded Herbert Sayers for running through the halls of the men's dormitory ringing a cow-bell at six o'clock Thanksgiving morning. . . . The sweetest award of the week goes to the entire football squad—a stick of striped sugar cane for each member—for rounding out the season with three decisive victories. . . . And an extra stick to Paul Piazza for his well managed versatility. . . .

CALIFORNIA, HERE I COME!!

Jimmie Austin gave birth to an idea for traveling to the Rose Bowl football classic in Pasadena. Consequently, several members of the football squad and others are planning to hire a box-car and ride as freight. . . . We're "afreight" that they will have a hard journey. . . .

WE NOTICED THAT:

Eloise Wellborn has been wearing her boy friend's golden football. . . .

Lynn Cook seems to be making this "going out together" a regular practice these days. . . .

Hundreds of Normalites are anxiously awaiting the appearance of the last Newsreel variety program of the year, as practically everyone is in the movies. . . .

GREEK NOTES

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha announces the marriage of Doris Long and Frank Fletcher on November 21, 1936.

Psi Psi chapter celebrated the founding of the sorority on November 14 with a Founder's Day program in the sorority room. Histories of both the local chapter and the National Sorority were given.

Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority announces installation services for our new chapter, Chi Chi, on December 12 at Ball State Teachers' College, Muncie, Indiana.

Mrs. Harry Suddath is entertaining all the Alpha Sigs and their dates at a theatre party on December 11 at the Amusu Theatre.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Pi Kappa Sigma announces the formal initiation of Eleanor Williams.

The last party in the old Sorority House was in honor of Mrs. Raymond Whitehead. Other guests were Mesdames Lynda Whitehead, Jean Watson, Opal Pollock, and Miss Johannah Peterson.

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

Alpha Zeta chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma announces the birth

Winter Term To Open On Tues., December 8th

Registration day for the winter quarter will be on December 8, at which time all regular students are expected to register for the new term. Late entrants may enroll until January 4, the day on which classes will be resumed after the Christmas holidays.

The late registration, Mr. Mitchell stated, is for teachers and persons otherwise employed who find it impossible to enter before that date, and is not for regular students.

of a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pierson. Mrs. Pierson is a patroness of this sorority.

Mary Ellen Peterson, who is teaching in Bossier City, was a visitor to Alpha Zeta chapter this past week-end. . . .

LAMBDA ZETA

The actives of the Lambda Zeta fraternity announce the initiation of Leonard Pratt, Jim Bell, John Davis Gathright, Carl Henry, Robert Gilbert, Patrick Murphy, E. A. Lee, John L. Prudhomme, and Paul Powell.

Prior to the initiation service this group enjoyed hot tamales down on Cane River Lake.

DEMONS DEFEAT SOUTHWESTERN IN LAST GAME

**DEMONS SHOW GREAT IMPROVEMENT
IN LAST THREE GAMES OF SEASON;
WIN FIVE, LOSE FOUR, AND TIE ONE**

**Imps Win Two Contests, Get Draws In Two
Games And Drop Only
One Tilt**

Winning the final game Thursday from their traditional rivals, the Southwestern Bulldogs of Lafayette, 6 to 0, the Louisiana State Normal college Demons last week closed their 1936 season, the termination of which revealed them as a greatly improved eleven over showings made in the first games of the year.

Suffering several casualties during the pre-season training period, the squad was shadowed by the injury jinx through its first seven games. At one time when the Demons faced the Louisiana Tech Bulldogs, seven first-string players were on the side-lines with injuries.

The Demons did not hit their stride until they met the Lumberjacks of Nacogdoches, Texas in their eighth contest when they defeated the Texans 20 to 7. Taking advantage of a "breather" the following week, Coaches Turpin and Aillet ran their charges through light practice sessions and had them in first class physical condition for the Mississippi Teachers of Hattiesburg last week.

In spite of the "spotted" season of the Demons they finished their season with five wins, four losses and one tie. Of the six S.I.A.A. contests played, the Demons won three, from Louisiana College, 12 to 0; Mississippi Teachers 13 to 0, and Southwestern of Lafayette, 6 to 0. Conference games were dropped to Centenary, 19 to 0; and Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, 32 to 0. A scoreless tie game was played with Millsaps College of Jackson, Mississippi.

Other games included a win from Arkansas A. and M. of Magnolia, 6 to 0; and two losses to Southeastern of Hammond, 34 to 6; and East Texas Teachers of Commerce, 20 to 0.

The Normal Imps coached by Faize Mahfouz won two, lost one and tied two contests. They opened their season by swamping the Leesville high school eleven, 33 to 0. The squad lost the second game to the Louisiana Tech Pups, 6 to 0; but came back the next week to down the Stephen F. Austin freshman squad, 19 to 7. The Imps tied the Louisiana Kittens, 6 to 6; and the Southwestern frosh, 7 to 7, in the final game last week.

Coaches Turpin, Aillet, and Mahfouz stated this week that winners of letters for both varsity and freshman players will be announced in a few days. A post-season game will probably be played between the varsity and freshman squads, they stated.

When Cat is Away

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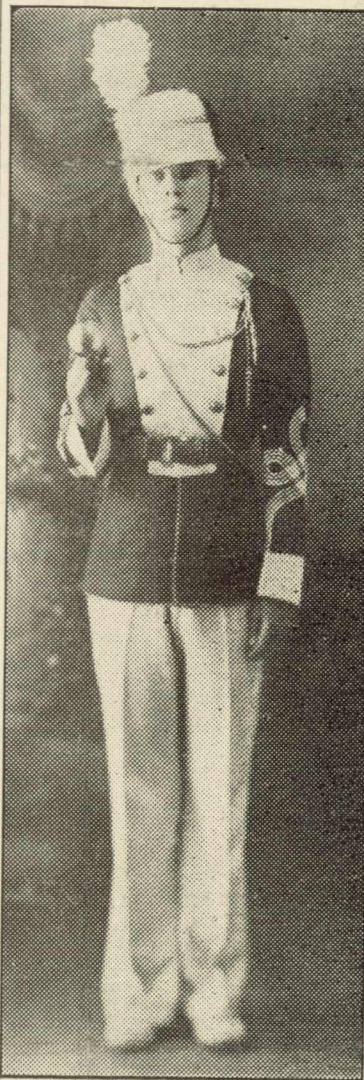
claimed that a dance be held in the Field House that night in honor of the team. The Field House remained open for the dance until 10:30 p. m., an hour and a half later than the regular Friday evening closing time, and dancing continued until closer to the curfew bell time than it has at any other time this term in the Field House.

This was of course through the courtesy of the week-end administrative staff, evident because under usual regulations all dancing ceases at 10:15 p.m.

Holiday Declared

Students who were too far in dreams or distance to hear the

"Struts His Stuff"



Drum Major J. Rayford McLean "strutted his stuff" for the last time in 1936 when the Normal College band gave the Musical background for the Demons 6 to 0 win over the Southwestern Bulldogs on Thanksgiving Day at Lafayette.

Saturday holiday publicly proclaimed through the public address system at 7:30 a.m., were surprised and ridiculed while they were on their way, equipped with books and paper, to attend classes. Many of the teachers had tests prepared for the students Saturday, and it was rumored that because of this President Piazza officially notified the faculty, Saturday, that

"No classes will be held today as I declare that November 21, 1936, shall be a holiday."

However, Piazza was found "catching up on his golf" in the presence of Willie Lou Talbot on the campus links during the morning. In the afternoon, he acted as referee of a freshman football game.

Scandal and Evidence Filmed

Activities of the "President for Three Days" reign, including the mentioned scandalous activities of the president on that Saturday, were recorded in techni-color motion pictures that will be shown Wednesday. Students were filmed in their informal or formal positions, depending upon the teacher

GRID GRIT

The end of the 1936 football season has come, and with the passing of King Football once more out of the spotlight of the Athletic world, we find, in review of the past season, a conglomeration of dazzling and brain-wrecking events studied four deep at every weekend encounter. The old Dope bucket was kicked high, wide and handsome—so much so that predictions came to mean nothing more than the gossip circulated in a knitting circle.

The first wallop administered the dear old bucket came from the astounding victory gained by Duquense over Pittsburg. A week later when the joyous yells of the Duquense supporters were still ringing in Pittsburg, a little insignificant band of West Virginia Wesleyan gridders came to battle the Dukes of Duquense and when they returned to the hills of "ole Virginny" they were known all over the sports world as the conqueror of the mighty Duquense eleven, by the score of 2-0. Then Northwestern gave the bucket a mighty wallop when they downed the great Minnesota outfit. In the twilight of its schedule and just as everyone was heralding them as the National Champions, the Northwestern gridders journeyed to South Bend, Indiana to take a sound drubbing from Notre Dame who had had a very spotty season, 25-6. This is only one of the series of phenomena that occurred. One could go on forever, and finally come to the conclusion football is as bewildering and inconsistent as it is spectacular and entertaining.

PREDICTIONS ARE MISLEADING.

At the outset of the current season there appeared in this column, a discussion of the prospects of the Demons in the past schedule. If the reader remembers, there was stated in the column the fact that no one could predict, with a great amount of confidence, the possibilities of a team in a contest or in its schedule as a whole. The column stated further that there were a great many factors to be taken into consideration in predicting the scores of any one game, or the chances of a team in their schedule. The past season was very kind to this writer, for the prediction set forth in this column at that time concerning the Normal schedule, came out as set forth. This writer mentioned the fact that the Demons success would be governed by various factors that were set forth in the column, and fortunately for this writer, that is what happened. This is mentioned not to establish the writer as a renowned crystal gazer, star reader or very smart man, but to bring to the reader's attention the fact that it is not only good football players that determine a good football team, but other things as well, such as the injury jinx, experience, etc., and that anyone aware of these facts can be as successful as him in such predictions.

In viewing the above discussion, one can come to the conclusion that Normal with five wins, four losses and three defeats has had a fairly successful season. Still more convincing is this fact, when the Demons great playing in their last three games is reviewed. In these last three contests the Demons were victorious by comfortable margins.

In the game Thanksgiving Day, one of the best guards ever to don a Normal uniform, Capt. "Polly" Piazza, played his last game for the Purple and White. Along with him went Coyle, Slack, Vaughn, Moss, Bankston, and Austin. These men will be sorely missed by the Normal next year, and their positions will be difficult to replace.

in the classroom. The student teachers were before the perceiving eye of the Normal newsreel camera in such candid actions as biting an apple that was presented by a student during a class period and biting fingernails while lecturing. Feet on the desks were seen in the office of Sims Jackson, dean of men but no disorder was found in the office of Georgie Pickett, dean of women.

Among the more informal motion pictures taken of students were unusual positions and of friendly fist-fighting in the classrooms. The entire football game with Mississippi, and all spectators, were recorded on 250 feet of film.

"Bull" Slung Between Halves

Techni-color shots made at the Saturday freshman game included a humorous bull-fighting exhibition during the intermission at the half period, a one man burlesque style show, and the violent attempt to eject from the football field the unsuspecting Professor Alexander, who began to orate a description of the affairs at the convention, as soon as he returned to the Normal campus.

Zoology and Moral

The mouse plays while he is young
In country and in city,
But when the rat fears NOT the cat
Is when the cat's a kitty.

VARSITY GRIDDERS CLOSE SEASON WITH 6 TO 0 VICTORY OVER TRADITIONAL FOES AT LAFAYETTE

**Same Type of Ball Which Has Carried Them
Through Last Three Contests Dis-
played In Turkey Day Game**

On Thanksgiving Day, the Louisiana State Normal Demons brought to a close their 1936 season with a 6-0 victory over their traditional foe, Southwestern Louisiana Institute of Lafayette.

The Demons continued to play the type of ball that has brought them victory in their last three games, and throughout the contest in Lafayette proved to be superior to the South Louisiana aggregation.

Captain Piazza, playing his last game for the Purple and White, shared Demon honors with Loomis and Wyatt, by his fine defensive work. Wyatt's broken field running was a big factor in the Normal offensive. Loomis by continuing his all-around playing, stamped himself as one of the brightest sophomore prospects ever to don a purple and white uniform. It was Loomis' blocking, and hard line plunging that aided in bringing the Demons the only score of the game. Loomis kicked the ball over into the scoring zone after a 60 yard drive by the Normal team. The Bulldogs made a bid to score in the third quarter when a pass placed the ball on the one yard line with the first down. After three line thrusts the Red and White was pushed back to the 12 yard line by the fast charging Demons, Farr and Piazza aiding the Demons in repulsing the Bulldogs' attempt to score.

Slack and Coyle along with Piazza in the line, Bankston and Wyatt in the backfield played their last game for the Demons. Austin, Vaughn, and Moss who were unable to play because of injuries are the other seniors who will be lost to the Demons next year.

College To Be Represented At S. I. A. A. Meet

**Stroud, Prather, Turpin Plan To
Attend Athletic Conference
In Birmingham**

Three members of the athletic department of the college may be sent to the meeting of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association to be held in Birmingham next Monday and Tuesday. Dr. C. C. Stroud, member of the executive board of the S. I. A. A., will leave for the meeting early this week-end as will Coach Harry Turpin. H. Lee Prather may go also.

One of the principal purposes of the meeting will be the discussion of trends in intercollegiate football especially as it affects the S.I.A.A. sector of the country. Practical phases of the open subsidization of players will be considered inasmuch as the Southeastern Intercollegiate Athletic group has decided on open subsidization of players. What the status of the relationship between these two organizations will be is of paramount importance in scheduling of games between the two.

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Co-eds Forced To Find New "Home Sweet Home" When Old Building Is Condemned



True, it wasn't very beautiful. The steps emitted creaky sounds as one tread up and down. The slightest gust of a strong November wind shook its frame from side to side. The color which had at one time been the chalkies of white was now of undeterminable hue; flaky here and greyish there. The design was one which modern architects would frown upon and pass over in review.

No, it wasn't one's dream of a model domicile, but to hundreds of Louisiana State Normal college selective coeds it was "home sweet home". Golden memories of never-to-be-forgotten times were associated with it. Gay parties, life-long friendships, grave and solemn occasions all had their origin in that two story frame building.

And now comes the order that it must be torn down. Disbelief, and incredulity on the faces of sorority girls. Worry and anxiety on the faces of the different presidents. Excitement—call meetings, hurried plans, ideas discussed, accepted, rejected.

Intense Excitement

All this and more express the intense excitement prevalent last week when the local Fire Marshal officially condemned the two-story building.

"Remove everything at once", was the command. Then the trouble started. Wrapping, packing, hauling and crating was the order of the day. Husky "he men" (flattery was absolutely necessary) were pushed into service. As one peered into the various rooms she was confronted with

a house it is necessary to build it. In order to build a house in any country money must be had. To get money and how to get it—that is the question (Modern Shakespeare), and in one hour the sorority girls at this college devised more ways of raising that necessary "medium of exchange" than all the treasurers and brain trusters in the history of our country could have done put together.

If the Dutch are thrifty, the Louisiana State Normal coeds are thrifter. If the Jews have a keen eye for business, the coeds could take "Abie" on any old day and make him hide his head in shame. They left nothing undone. Every possible saleable article was auctioned off, including even the boards in the floors and in the walls. Flowers and pot plants were re-sold to their original distributors—and at a profit. Curtains were patched, re-dyed and sold to anybody from the maid who wished to use them to "purty things up a bit" to the janitor "for the little woman." After every penny that could be obtained from the house was squeezed out, new plans were put into effect. Starting with a wild "goose chase" for a "milk fed" turkey to raffle off at Thanksgiving, and followed by a money board to "catch the sucker", the plans finally culminated in what left many gasping. Super-sophisticated coeds donned caps and aprons, and just like the dear dead days of yore, spent their evenings bending over the hot cookstoves baking cakes to be sold to anyone who had a strong constitution and a five cent box of soda handy.

So-o-o—"if you are accosted by a fair damsel and asked to take a chance, buy, or donate, remember to be the gentlemen your mother thinks you are and control that temper even though it may be the sixth time in the last five minutes you have been asked that same question," urge the coeds.

RUMMAGE



a scene lovely to behold. Curtains were half up and half down; the delicate handling of glassware by the men resulted in a heavy financial loss; trunks and boxes, ranging greatly in size and description, were standing at every possible point where one was sure to take a tumble. Turning back the hands of the clock, one was struck with the resemblance of this scene to the one of the parlor at home on the night before Christmas.

Financial Experts

However, after hours of manual labor, everything was neatly packed and ready for storage. Now the real worry began. It was necessary to have a house. To have

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Treble Clef Club To Give First Concert Of Year



Pictured above are the members of the State Normal College Treble Clef Club which will give its first concerts of the year on December 10 when the club will appear at the high schools in Ringgold, Saline and Jonesboro. The club is under the direction of Mrs. Lillian G. McCook of the college music faculty. Following are the members of the organization: First row: Lucille Currie, Shreveport; Dorothy King, Monroe; Merrill Raggio, Natchitoches; Katherine Kearney, New Roads; Maxine Corbitt, Saline; Roberta Fluitt, Haynesville; Ethel Good, Natchitoches; Emily Belle Platt, Grand Cane; Marjorie Patterson, Shreveport; Lessie Hardin, Hoss-ton; Mrs. Frances McClung Phelps, Natchitoches. Second row: Beatrice Gamble, Grand Cane; Virginia McKinney, Minden; Elvira Mae Beasley, Harrisonburg; Hilda Foil, Tylertown, Miss.; Joy Burnham, Haynesville; Georgia Dixon, Anacoco; Verone Ford, Oakdale; Farris Modisette, Haynesville; Loise Voorhies, New Iberia; Joe Jo Tucker, Leesville; Mary Elizabeth Palmer, Haynesville. Third row: Jimmie Straughan, Colfax; Katherine Posey, Coushatta; Sammie Hill, Natchitoches; Helen D. Horton, Winnfield; Bernadette Dill, Donaldsonville; Cecile Pou, Shreveport; Juanita Russell, Jena; Ruth Fourroux, Donaldsonville; Jewel Francis, Jena; Virtie Mae O'Bier, Shongaloo; Elizabeth Reeves, Many; Mary McDowell, Ringgold. Fourth row: Mrs. Lillian Gerow McCook, conductor; Josephine Tarleton, Natchitoches; Evelyn Ellzey, New Iberia; Nan Upton, Rayville; Nelwyn Bedingfield, Vivian; Lullie Nabors, Nabors; Ruth Moreland, Powhatan; Mrs. O. J. Burns, Shongaloo; Marjorie Scott, Winnsboro; Theda Selvidge, Selma; Corrine Greer, Lisbon; Helen Sexton, Minden.

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Christmas Service To Be Held Tonight

Normal Debaters Win Six Of Eight Debates In Kansas

Six Hundred Representatives From Ten States Entered In Meet At Southwestern College

Normal College debaters opened the forensic season by winning six out of eight debates at their first tournament of the year held at Southwestern College, Winfield, Kansas, December 4 and 5.

The tournament was attended by more than six hundred debaters from ten states including Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Colorado, Missouri, and Illinois. The Normal squad was the only Louisiana group entered in the contests.

Dorothy Aden and LaVerne Whitener, representing the women, and Al Rodriguez and John Makar, representing the men's squad of the college, participated in six rounds of debate in their respective divisions, the first two rounds being non-decision contests.

The women's team met Cape Girardeau Teachers college of Missouri, Hastings college of Nebraska, Bethel College of Kansas, and Friends College of Kansas, losing only to Bethel.

Of 43 teams entered in the women's division, but four remained at the end of the fourth round.

The men's team defeated Bethany Peniel College of Oklahoma, Oklahoma University, Phillips University, and lost to Bethany College of Kansas in the fourth round of decision contests. Only seven out of 70 men's teams entered remained in the running after the fourth round.

In the Extempore Oratory contest, Al Rodriguez placed among the first three in his division of the preliminaries entered by fifteen speakers. He placed fourth in the next round.

Accompanied by R. L. Ropp, debate coach, the team left the campus December 2, spent the night in Paris, Texas, and continued the journey through Oklahoma, making stops in the Arbuckle Mountains, at Turner Falls and other points of interest. On the way back, Sunday, the group breakfasted at Turner Falls after which they hiked through the Turner Falls' Canyon where they viewed the falls, the Balanced Rock, and the Wagon Wheel Cave.

Old Library Building To Be Remodeled Soon

Present Library Room Will Be Used For Dances, Parties Of Students

Plans are being formulated for the use of the upper floor of the social building, which will be vacated when the library is moved into the new library building. Miss Dean Varnado stated that although it is not certain that these plans will be realized immediately, it is hoped that with the help of President Fredericks they will be at some time soon.

The lower floor of the building will remain unchanged. The main reading room of the present library will be made into a general social room to be used for dances, parties, and other social occasions.

The room that is now the stack room is to be made into an assembly room furnished with a platform and portable chairs. This room will be used for programs by religious organizations, the debate club, sororities, fraternities, and other organizations.

The periodical room will be fitted for reading and games. Card tables and portable chairs will be provided for card games, checkers, dominoes, and other popular games. Daily newspapers and a few popular magazines will be placed in the room.

The newspaper room, on the west, will be made into a general sorority room to be used by the sororities until they get their own

SCENE FROM CHRISTMAS PAGEANT



Above is one of the scenes to be portrayed in the annual Christmas pageant in Caldwell Hall auditorium at 7 o'clock tonight. The scene pictured is symbolic of the visit of the shepherds and the Wise Men to the manger. President Albert A. Fredericks will read the scriptural passage from St. Luke concerning the visit of the shepherds and will lead the students and faculty in the Lord's Prayer as the climax to the service.

Normal Proves That It Can Be Done

In one semester the Normal Newsreel has become a part of the college's established projects, and is now to be used in other educational fields. The final newsreel program, witnessed by more than five hundred, climaxed a propitious beginning, and proves Normal's success and ascendancy in this field.

High Schools View Choice Shots

Last week accompanying the Treble Clef Club was sent five hundred feet of choice shots spliced into one reel. This reel borrowed from the three features: the Dallas trip, Homecoming activities, and the football feature, was mostly in technicolor, and consisted of only the best shots. With occasional remarks by John Makar who was in charge of the newsreel the many schools where the Treble Clef Club sang, viewed the pictures which gave the schools a colorful view of the beauties of the Normal campus, and depicted the variety of activities on the hill.

Five Demeter Members Appear On School Program

Buddy Smith Succeeds Bankston As President Of Local Ag. Chapter

A group of five members of Demeter fraternity appeared on a program at Readhimer last night in conjunction with a general assembly of high school students and agriculturists. Those taking part in the program were: S. W. Nelken, head of the agriculture department of the college, R. H. Johnson, Preston Duncelman, Collier Smith, and Raymond Szczesiul, chairman of the group.

With the beginning of the new term, Buddy Smith succeeded Mixon Bankston who left for L. S. U., as president of the fraternity. Sims Jackson was elected to the vice-presidency to fill the vacancy made by Buddy Smith's successor.

Besides Mixon Bankston, Demeter lost two other active members: Rufus Walker, former president who was graduated with scholastic honors, and Marvin Hatcher who will begin his studies at L. S. U. in February.

buildings or quarters elsewhere.

In addition to the above, there will be a small office, a dressing room, and a kitchenette. The kitchenette will occupy the small hall behind the present charging desk.

Training School Contemplates Buying Outfit

Dr. Ford, head of the Training school, is considering the incorporation of a complete movie outfit, which will include the loud speaking devices; this step, if taken, will greatly increase facilities of the training school. The children of the training school have twice been shown the rented comedies from the Kodascope Library in Kansas City, Missouri; and the enthusiasm of the children has been an incentive to the buying of complete educational equipment. Besides the comedies shown the children, a fifty feet reel of their own activities has been taken and already shown to them.

Teachers To Be Actors In First Newsreel Of New Year

As a special feature the first newsreel program of next year will have teachers as actors. These shots will portray the life of the instructors at home. A keyhole view into their private lives may reveal whether Mr. Barr, instructor in Biology, has a well kept garden, whether Mr. Fournet, radio expert, has a superior set

at home, and if Mr. Saetre practices piano all day long.

Final Program Draws Over 500

The final program, attended by more than five hundred, portrayed a wide variety of scenes which made it the most complete record of the wide scope of activities on the hill.

Vaudeville Program Well Received

Directed by Marjorie Patterson, the third vaudeville program had much of a Christmas touch. The first act on the show was the Normal Hill Billy band. Then a reading by Grace Montgomery was followed by several dances by "Torchy" Aden. In the glittering light of candles, the quartet sang the Christmas carols: Silent Night and The Bells of St. Mary. In the selection Silent Night the quartet, composed of Marjorie Patterson, Dorothy La Croix, Denny Pearman, Marjorie Scott, was made a quintet by the addition of Este Mae Mode, who sang the solo part. At the piano was Emily Platt.

Before the vaudeville acts the Newman club put on a skit announcing the date of their party.

Member Of First Graduating Class At Normal Has Keen Interest In Her Alma Mater

One of the first three graduates of the Normal has not permitted a half century to blot out hallowed memories of her Alma Mater, nor have the years cheated her of a keen interest in the school from which she was graduated exactly fifty years ago.

Mrs. Mary Washington Brown of Mansfield who enrolled at the Normal the first day its doors were opened in September, 1885, and who was one of a graduating class of three in 1886 looks back today upon the experiences she had on "The Hill" as among the happiest of her life. All these years she has kept in close touch with "her pet", as she dubs the Normal, watching with pride its development into one of the outstanding teacher training institutions of the nation.

Desiring to give something in a material way to her college, Mrs. Brown last week, on the eve of her eighty-first birthday, presented the college a valuable collection of 36 volumes of the National Geographic magazine to be placed in the new library building on the campus.

Born on January 6, 1856, in Cincinnati, Arkansas, she moved with her parents to Mansfield, where she was "just a little girl". The only school she ever attended before enrolling at the Normal

was the Mansfield Female college from which she was graduated in 1873 at the age of seventeen.

The next year she accepted a teaching position in her home town where she taught for two sessions. Her second school was in Rapides parish where she taught two years in Alexandria and one term in Cheneyville. Then she came to Natchitoches for a three-year teaching period before entering the Normal school.

After completing the one-year Normal course, Mrs. Brown taught four years at her Alma Mater and seven years at the University of Arkansas. Her subjects included geography, history and mathematics.

According to Mrs. Brown, life on "The Hill" had its pleasures then as it has today. There were parties and dances and literary society meetings—times when the whole student body mingled with the entire faculty (three members, including the president).

Few week-end visits home were made by Mrs. Brown as it required eight hours to make the trip via stagecoach from Mansfield to Natchitoches by "changing horses three times on the way." About the only time students went home

Formal Parting Of Students And Faculty For Holiday Period To Be Solemnized At 7 O'Clock

President Fredericks Central Figure In Ceremony; Hundred Students To Take Part

At 7 o'clock tonight annual Christmas Services will be held in Caldwell Hall auditorium depicting the adoration of the Magi and signifying the formal parting of students and faculty from the college for the Christmas holiday period which begins on December 19. President Albert A. Fredericks, who will read the scriptures for the service and lead the congregation in prayer, will be the central figure in the ceremony.

Treble Clef Club Gives Concerts At High Schools

Varied Program Presented Under Direction Of Mrs. McCook Of Music Department

Treble Clef Club, women's glee club of the college, entertained audiences at Ringgold, Saline, Jonesboro, Gibsland, and Homer last Thursday and Friday with a varied program of classical and semi-classical musical numbers featuring the entire chorus, solos, duets, octettes, and piano renditions, in the first tour of the season which ended with a half hour broadcast over station KTBS in Shreveport at 9:45 Saturday morning.

The group of forty-four singers, Mrs. Lillian Gerow McCook, director, and Mrs. Frances McClung Phelps, piano accompanist, gave their first concert at Ringgold Thursday morning at ten-thirty. The group was served a light lunch in the home economics cottage of the high school. The next performance was given in the Saline high school auditorium at three o'clock.

An hour and a half program was given in the auditorium of the Jonesboro high school Thursday night at eight. The club was housed in the homes of Jonesboro citizens that night.

Mattie O'Daniel Scholarship Awards Announced Here

Winners of the Mattie O'Daniel scholarship for the fall quarter ending December 7, 1936 have been officially announced. Those receiving this honor are Corinne Anna Fournet and Rufus Kennedy Walker.

A scholarship amounting to \$7.50 is awarded every quarter by Mrs. Mattie O'Daniel Rinsland of Norman, Oklahoma, to a senior on the basis of professional ability and attainment.

Normal College To Be Studied By Associations

Student Papers May Be Examined By Committee During Winter Or Spring Terms

The State Normal College is one of 12 southern educational institutions that will be studied by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools this year, it was announced last week at the annual meeting of the association in Richmond, Virginia.

According to information received by local college authorities from officers of the association this week, student papers may be examined by the committee during either the winter or spring quarters.

Officials of the college were assured this week that there would be no summary action on the part of the association and that all matters pertaining to the study will be adjusted satisfactorily.

A committee representing the American Association of Teachers Colleges will visit the campus in

Formal throughout, the service has as its background a gorgeous miniature operatic pageant embodying impressive classical composition portraying the birth of Christ.

More than one hundred students of art, music, dramatics, and physical education will take part in the program. Including Christmas carols, beautiful pageantry and biblical history, the service is expected to be the most impressive ever held here.

The musical theme of the pageant will be furnished by musical renditions of the Treble Clef Club, the Men's Glee Club, and the college instrumental ensembles. The artistic arrangement of the setting will be executed by members of the college art department.

Miss Willie Lou Talbot will portray the part of the Virgin Mary; while James Merritt will take the part of Joseph. Wisemen will be depicted by Wilburn Slack, Sims Jackson and Walter Ledet. Shepherds in the pageant will be Bill James, Gerald Couch, Harold Smolinski, J. C. Elkins and Alton Wagley.

The Christmas service is being sponsored by the Fine Arts club of the college. The club has directed the service for the last two years.

New Art Club Is Organized On Local Campus

Six Departments Of College Are Included In Membership Of Association

A new club, embracing six departments has been organized on the campus for the purpose of promulgating interest among students, causing them to realize the values of the finer arts.

The club plans to sponsor a ball soon after the Christmas holidays. It also proposes to relate incidents of historic nature relative to Natchitoches and the Louisiana State Normal College. Plans are being formed to sponsor contests of state-wide importance, permitting all residents of Louisiana to be participants.

The first feature to be sponsored by the club is the annual Christmas pageant given preceding the holiday season in Caldwell hall auditorium.

This organization is composed of four outstanding women students in the departments of art, music, dramatics, debating, journalism, and physical education. The group plans to meet once a month, carrying out classical forms of entertainment as its program.

The group of girls composing this group are Gussie Short, Mary Ida Aycock, Velma Caston, Pauline Thinehart, Marcia Durham, Marian Reeves, Dorothy Aden, Gertrude Palmer, Willie Lou Talbot, Laverne Whitener, Bertha Crowder, Betty Dowdy, Marguerite Hanley, Johannah Peterson, Ottilie Mae Duncan, Isobel Page, Ethel Good, Merrill Raggio, Elvira Beasley, Lynda Lee Renfro, Wihlene Windham, and Alma Dezendorf.

The faculty advisers for this organization are Mrs. Olive L. Cooper and R. L. Ropp.

January, college authorities have announced.

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NEW LIBRARY BUILDING NEAR COMPLETION

According to college authorities, the new Library building will be available for the use of the Louisiana State Normal College students at the beginning of 1937. It is not definitely ascertained as to the exact date of the dedication of the new building, but the administrative leaders feel sure that it will be soon after returning from the Christmas holidays.

Day by day, month by month, the students and faculty members have anxiously watched the building nearing completion. At last, all can look forward to its being opened in the near future.

At present, work is being done on the stacks that are to be used in the new Library, and the building will not be ready for use until they are finished.

Other than the large reading room, the browsing room, where free reading can be done, and the visual education room, there will be offices for library officials and Library-Science teachers. Also, a special room is to be dedicated to Louisiana. Maps of the state, books about the state and its people, and books written by Louisiana authors will be available there. This should be especially interesting and beneficial to Normal students, because Louisiana is the home of a large majority of them.

A great asset to the Library will be a large number of new books that have already been ordered.

With all the improvements and conveniences of the building, the new Library will be the pride of the Normal campus. Returning to school after two weeks vacation should be a great joy with the prospect of working in this beautiful new building.

CUTTING CLASSES

What is meant by "cutting classes"? Many times a student fails to attend classes simply because he is too lazy to get up or he has numerous other excuses which are equally as weak that are passed on to the instructor in hopes that all will be forgotten. Of course the question arises "why should I go to class when I can get as much of a course by reading my text?" Some few students can do this but there is the vast majority who cannot accomplish the necessary school work without attending classes. Why should not they go to classes?

In rare instances missing classes is permissible. But these cases are few. Why should not the faculty members reserve the right to hand in the names of students for irregular class attendance? Does it not place a burden on the instructor when students are always asking for special "make-up" tests? Many times these cases are not absolutely necessary! Why should not the student be more considerate of others?

Then too, from the standpoint of the student, himself, "cutting" one class leads to "cutting" another. This in the end works a hardship on the "learner" by causing him to get far behind in his classwork. What is the purpose of attending institutions of higher learning? It is preparation today so that tomorrow will be enabled to take care of itself. It is today's preparation that has such a bearing on tomorrow. Many times failure in various courses is due to irregular class attendance. Frequently an instructor stresses facts of great importance which are likely to appear on examinations. If a student is not in class, it is only likely that failure on tests results, ending in the renewal of the same work the next term. Is this necessary? Is not this an added cost to attending college?

Should upperclassmen set this habit as an example for freshmen? When a freshman enters college he does not come with the intention of irregular class attendance. However, when he sees that an upperclassman can "get by" in his work without going to class the freshman begins to assume the same idea. Rightly so, he does this. Should he? Should not the upperclassmen set a proper example? Why not start the New Year right by making attendance to all classes one hundred per cent?

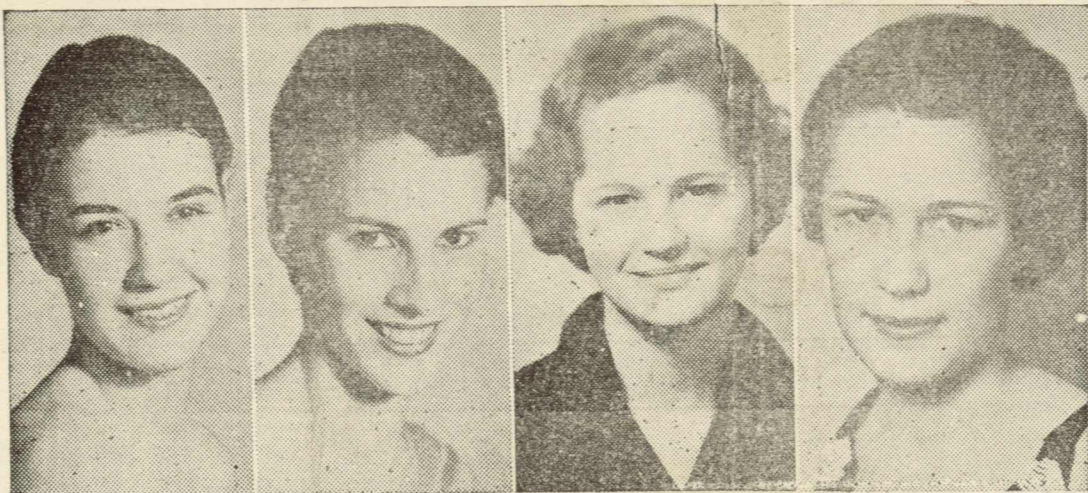
RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

With the celebration of the end of the term and the beginning of the new term over, many changes have taken place on the campus. Some people seem to have changed their interests. . . . The strange part is that all the men seem to have taken an exceptional interest in Dorothy Gamel, or did you notice those she dated last week?

This man Herb Sayers has really been getting around. He's seen first with one and then with another. As soon as he settle down (if and when he does) then that will be NEWS!!!! . . . And one Roy brings to mind another, namely Roy Louis, who has certainly become

LEADING NORMALITES



Four sorority leaders engage the attention of Normal students in this weeks edition of the biographies of leading students. All four girls were delegates to the conventions of their respective sororities this past summer. They are (l to r): Miss Jean Johnson of Taylortown; Miss Miriam Himel of Port Allen; Miss Elizabeth L'Herisson of Natchitoches; and Miss Thelma Hickman of Shreveport.

Miss Jean Johnson
has been represented in the beauty section of the Potpourri for three successive years besides representing a variety of interests in the extra-curricular field. She is now twenty years old and lives in Taylortown but spends most of her time in Shreveport when away from the campus.

Jean is majoring in the upper-elementary curriculum but whether or not she plans to follow teaching as a career is still indefinite. She was secretary of her class during her sophomore year. She enjoys dancing which is one of her chief diversions.

Jean represented her sorority of which she is president at the national convention of Alpha Sigma Alpha this summer. She is also president of the Pan-Hellenic council and a member of the Women's Council as well as having been a member of Phi Kappa, as were the other girls pictured above.

Miss Miriam Louise Himel
has gone a long way since she was born some twenty years ago in DeQuincy—in fact she went from there to Port Allen where she graduated from high school in 1933, thence to the Normal college from which she hopes to get her degree in the spring of the coming year.

At the college, Miriam has participated in numerous activities chief of which are her Purple Jacket work, Y. W. C. A. cabinet officiating, and Current Sauce writing and reporting which she has done for several years.

This past summer she was a delegate to the Theta Sigma Upsilon convention at Colorado Springs, Colo. and the year before a delegate to the Home Economics Convention in Chicago as a representative of the officer of the Pan-Hellenic Euthenics Club. She is an and president of Alpha Phi Gamma, national journalistic fraternity.

Miss Himel is a home economics major, likes sewing, swimming, dancing (occasionally), cooking, and motion pictures.

Miss Elizabeth L'Herisson
who has spent all of her nineteen years in Natchitoches is a graduate of the local high school where she was valedictorian at commencement time a few years back. At Normal she has maintained about a B average which verifies, she says, that she "is not a book worm" as some people would try to make others believe.

Elizabeth is majoring in the commerce curriculum, but when asked if she planned to teach she said, "No, I want to work"—not that teaching is not work but that she prefers office work as a secretary (private, if you please) to teaching. She limits the extent of her work to three years.

Miss L'Herisson is president of Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority and a member of the Pan-Hellenic council. She represented her sorority at the national convention held in St. Louis recently. She dances, swims "after a fashion", and is satisfied with life as it is.

Miss Thelma Alice Hickman
who hails from Shreveport traveled a good deal before finally arriving at Natchitoches. She was born in Charleston, West Virginia, twenty-one years ago, moved to Texas, then to Louisiana where she attended Byrd High in Shreveport but graduated from Baton Rouge high school.

Thelma is majoring in the commerce curriculum and may teach when she gets through at the end of this term. She, as well as the other girls sketched in this issue, was a member of Phi Kappa, Fine Arts Club, and recording secretary of the Pan-Hellenic Council.

She is president of Sigma Sigma Sorority and represented Alpha Zeta chapter at the national convention held in Washington, D. C. this summer.

Her friends have meant the most to her at Normal and when asked if she had any enemies she said "I hope not, but—" She was featured in the beauty section of the 1936 Potpourri.

Student Opinion

Dead Editor:

We, the undersigned, do not particularly object to the improvements being made around the campus—in fact, we approve of them—especially as they relate to the repairs being made in the men's dormitory. BUT what we do object to, and justly so if you please, is the manner in which the work is carried on. For example, upon returning to our rooms today, we found that the broken plaster had been torn off the ceiling and the necessary replacements made—all well and good—but in addition, and this is where the rub comes in—we also found that our clothes were covered with half of the plaster dust, our tooth brushes were virtually in the plaster bucket and our shaving equipment in the shoe polish, to say nothing of our books which were thrown helter-skelter into the clothes closet along with a variety of regalia ranging from formerly clean undershirts to dirty socks, all thrown on top of "now-crushed" hats and soiled clothes. The whole mess requires that we buy new tooth-brushes (which if moistened now would give them a well starched and plastered appearance and taste), have our clothes cleaned and pressed and general repairs made to our "none-too-extensive" wardrobe.

Would it be asking too much of the "powers that be" to have them inform us at least a half hour ahead of time that they proposed to make their "cyclonic" and devastating visit so that we might have taken our possessions to another room which was not to be adorned with the "plasterer's touch"?

In other words, why not apply a little common sense with the plaster?

J. M. B. B.
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The Listening Post

By BOBBIE ARLEDGE

We hear that Vetra Tollison is quite down-hearted over the fact that the bus from Boyce has quit running and by so doing has deprived her of a Romeo.

And what's this about A'Dair Ragan and the young man from the Marines????

We hear that the bus from Winnfield has lost a few of its personnel!!!!

And so Nell Duffy asks that the next time we want to put her name in the paper just say that she and Blondell Horn are good little girls!

We hear that Dick Cole is given to taking orders from a certain young lady who stays in the Normal Club—is this so Dick???

We wonder what happened to Ailene Worsham December 12?

We hear that Mary Etheridge is passing her habit of snorting along to her newest admirer, Lester Beck.

It seems that the Many Bus is well contented with their new bus driver, Iman Knippers, especially the Pharis twins.

May we take this opportunity to welcome Miss Lurline Mosley into our midst? She is now riding the Grant Parish bus.

We hear that congratulations are due Max Hardberger—it seems that he received his teaching certificate one day and stepped into a job the next down Oakdale way.

Say girls, have you all happened to notice that handsome young sophomore by the name of Keator who runs around with Sam Mayeaux?

Miss Dorothy V. Irion, president of Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma returned Monday from Oklahoma City where she attended the District Convention.

Alpha Delta regrets the loss of Miss Louise Carpenter. She will spend the winter in her home town, Bastrop.

Pi Kappa Sigma welcomed the following alumnae on the campus this past week-end: Mrs. Victor Smith of Shreveport; Miss Emily McDade of McDade; Miss Irene Ivey Page of Monroe.

Misses Debbie Pinkston and Dorothy V. Irion visited Miss Mary Gonnerman at South Side school in Shreveport. Miss Gonnerman is a national officer in this sorority.

GREEK NOTES

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Suddath entertained Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha with a theater part at the Amusu Theater on December 11, 1936. Members and guests present were: Oattie Mae Duncan, Sims Jackson, Jean Jackson, Wilborn Slack, Jerry Lyons, James Austin, Myrtis Sexton, Bill Hart, Mildred Rhodes, Frank Pernici, Muriel Gunther, Herb Sayers, Freva Webb, Newton Barnette, Mildred Smith, Bill Hamilton, Eilyeen Broyles, James Mitchell, Jimmie Burkhalter, Bill Bateman, Minnie Merle Flanders, C. Doney, Jessie Jones, D. T. Tarlton, Gloria Griffin, W. O. Jackson, Ruth Alcock, Raymond Normand, Manette Swett, Lamar Dearing, Isobel Williams, Scriven Swett, Frances Mae Fournet, Hampden Murrell, Virginia Magee, Rayford McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher, Miss Miriam Nelken, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Suddath, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brock.

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha was visited last week by Mrs. Murray Woodyard of Shreveport.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

The actives of Pi Kappa Sigma sorority were entertained last Tuesday night, December 15 at a supper by Mrs. J. W. Webb and Miss Debbie Pinkston. The home of the former was beautifully decorated with Christmas greens and red roses. The center of attraction was a Christmas tree placed in the living room. The table was lovely with a centerpiece of Christmas holly, white reindeer, and white tapers. A delicious supper was served. Between courses, the president of Alpha Delta chapter, Dottie V. Irion, entertained with an account of her trip to District Convention held recently in Oklahoma City. After supper games, Keno-Bridge and a Christmas contest, were enjoyed. Appropriate prizes were awarded the winners in each contest. The guests other than the actives were Gussie Short, a pledge, and the alumnae of the chapter living in Natchitoches.

attached to Marjorie Godfrey lately. Her sister, Yvonne, is seen quite often with Steve Holstein. FLASH!!!!

Margaret Elston is no longer called "Jungle Fever" but instead has joined the class of "Ping Pong Widows". Eleanor Hughes usually watches the Ping Pong tables rather closely too. . . . Have you noticed (of course you know) that Dennie Pearman often engages in the same indoor sport?

John Renwick and B. Durham have decided to disagree. Personally we liked it much better when they were agreeing. . . . Bill James and his cute little girl have joined the "social hall sitters." . . . W. O. Jackson is wearing a Franklin high school ring. . . . A couple of "last years" are looking at each through rose colored glasses again. As we've publicized them so much, we'll only give you a hint—they're both swell dancers.

The end of the term brought sorrow to the hearts of many of the co-eds. To those that left, we'll say your presence is greatly missed.

PERSONAL MENTION!!!!

Mr. James Hamilton of Dubach visited Miss Frances Houston during the past week-end. Alice Marie Clark's boyfriend from L.S.U. was also among the week-end visitors.

There appeared last week "Boys We Like." We would also now like to mention the type we DON'T like. The boy that has his mind so low that no matter what is said it must be taken the wrong way, and makes it even more noticeable by his cynical laugh.

The type of girl we DON'T like is the one that must resort to boisterousness to gain recognition.

POINSETTAS!!

A whole bowl of poinsettias to Sims Jackson and Gerald Couch on their selection as captain and co-captain, respectively, of next year's football team. Best wishes for a successful year.

A CUT FROM A CONVERSATION!!!

"Well, honey, if he thinks I'm going to stick to just him, he's crazy—the way I figure it, there are too many men floating around for me to bother about him."

"Yes, but after all, he has been very nice to you, and he did ask you first."

"Well, what's the difference—one broken date never hurt anybody, and it isn't every day a girl gets a date with such a big shot. Why, I'd break a date any day to go with him. And Jim can come up just any week-end."

"And what happens when he finds out you've been running around?"

"How do you think he's going to find out? And even if he does—he'll come back. They always do!"

"That's all very well, but you can't play both of them at once."

"That's what you think, sister. Listen, I've played two at once before, and I can do it again. Men are all suckers, anyway."

"I don't care whether you can or not—anyway, even if you can—it isn't fair to either one."

"Oh, you're just being a sissy—anyway—a few lies and a little fun never hurt anyone. And just wait until you see the new dress I have to wear Saturday night when I date him. It makes me look like a million dollars—and I'll bet the football sweater I'll be wearing by next week will look swell too. Just watch and see how it does!"

Speaking of heart interests reminds us of Caryl Killen who apparently certainly has become attached to Corinne Greer.

These two-timing boys! Here's one "for ya" to figure out. Which one is Collier Smith fooling—the girl on the hill or the one out in town!

Through our correspondence we've found that a little Normalite, Dorothy Gamel, by name has been really stepping-high! Been dating the little agriculture teacher in a near-by town who was one of L. S. U.'s campus big shots last year—rated "Who's Who", as well as a number of other coveted honors. Believe his name is "Little Mac."

DEMON QUINTET OPENS HOME SEASON TONIGHT

Grid Teams Here Feted At Annual Football Banquet

The 1936 Normal varsity and freshman football players were feted Friday in the Normal dining hall at a banquet attended by 200 Natchitoches football fans. Coach Nelson of the L. S. U. coaching staff, and Rock Reed, star back in the L. S. U. backfield were speakers at the annual banquet.

Brief talks were made by President A. A. Fredericks, Coaches Turpin, Aillet, and Mahfouz of the varsity and frosh teams; H. Lee Prather, director of athletics; Dr. C. C. Stroud, head of the physical education department; Professor Cadwallar, formerly of L. S. U.; Captain Paul Piazza, of the 1936 varsity eleven; and Sims Jackson, captain-elect of the 1937 Demon squad.

T. G. Barnes, local business man was toastmaster. Music was furnished by the college orchestra.

Jackson Named Captain, Couch Co-Captain, Demons

Sims Jackson of Campti, La., and Gerald Couch of Minden were elected as the 1937 captain and co-captain, respectively of the 1937 Demon grid eleven, by the members of the football squad last week.

Sims played end the past season and will be a senior next year. Gerald quarterbacked the 1936 Demons, and played his junior football this past year. Both Jackson and Gerald are very popular among the members of the football team and should lead the Demons to a successful season next year.

Captain Moss and Piazza of the 1936 Demons will be lost by graduation, but Captain Jackson and Couch of the 1937 Demons have proved themselves capable of being the type that could be as successful as Piazza and Moss were in piloting the Demons the past season.

Fifteen Freshmen Report For Imp Cage Practice

Fifteen freshman cagers reported to Coach Faize Mahfouz December 9, to begin practice for the 1936-37 basketball season.

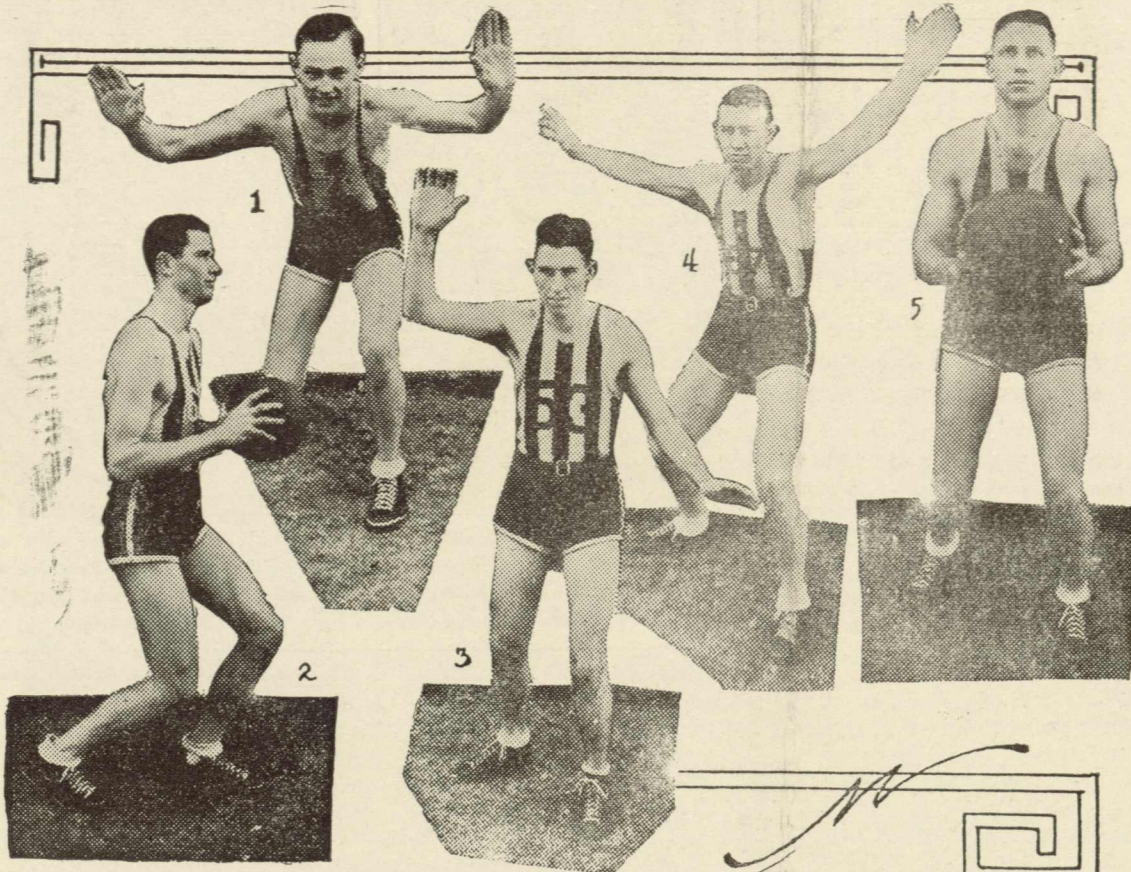
For the past week Coach Mahfouz has drilled his cohorts in fundamental, dribbling, passing and shooting being given especial attention.

Of the fifteen that reported are Webb and Jackson of Coushatta high school which went into the finals at the state meet last year. These two cagers are expected to aid Coach Mahfouz in molding a strong freshman five.

Among the teams to be met by the Imps on the hardwood this year, are the Louisiana College and Tech freshmen as well as other neighboring high schools.

Cobb, who has four years of experience at Ouachita Parish high of Monroe will report after the holidays.

THREE OF THESE IN ACTION TONIGHT



Pictured above are five of the regular players who starred for the Normal last season. They are: (1) Bill Loftin, forward; (2) Milton McGee, who will return to the roster after the holidays; (3) Elmo Tullos, center; (4) Billie Baucum, lost by graduation; and (5) Marvin Wyatt, forward.

Demon Cagers Open Season With Wins Over Arkansas Five

Coach H. Lee Prather's 1937 Demon cagers opened their season Monday and Tuesday by taking two games from the Arkansas A. and M. quintet at Magnolia, 66 to 36 and 39 to 31.

Coach Prather used his entire squad of 10 players in the first game; but in the second tilt Tuesday when the Demons were extended the regular squad composed of Loftin and Perkins, guards; Tullos, center; and Wyatt and Colquette, forwards, played most of the game.

In the first clash the Demons led at half-time 24 to 22, but in

the second contest the Mule Riders were ahead 17 to 16 at the half. The Demons' defense cracked in the first half of the second game, but the squad came back strong to pile up a commanding lead during the opening minutes of the second frame.

Varsity Defeat Imps, 7 To 0

The varsity football squad, minus the services of nine seniors and a few regulars who are on the basketball team, defeated the freshman eleven, 7 to 0, in the annual classic between the Demon and Imp gridders on Normal Field Wednesday afternoon.

Steve Harmon, fullback, carried the ball over on a five-yard

COACH PRATHER'S SQUAD MEETS EAST TEXAS LIONS, ILLINOIS COLLEGE TEAM IN THREE GAMES

Both Visiting Squads Reported To Have Rangy Experienced Players In Line-ups

The Louisiana Normal Demons open their 1936-37 home basketball schedule with three games this week-end. Tonight and tomorrow night they meet the strong East Texas Teachers of Commerce, Texas. Saturday night the Demons will meet Illinois College of Jacksonville, Illinois.

Normal was defeated last year by the rangy Texans from Commerce early in the season but were victorious in two other games played at the latter part of the year. Very little is known about the Teachers from Texas, but reports are that they have a strong team. When the Demons met the Lions last year they had to combat a fast offense. Normal also employs the fast breaking offense, and the fans should witness a fast and interesting game tonight and tomorrow night.

Illinois College that is to be played here Saturday night is a rangy and experienced team. Herb Scheffler, center, is six feet four inches tall, and was All State center in high school. He played on the Springfield high school team of Illinois which won the championship of that state in 1935. Ira Scott, six feet four inches, is a forward on the Illinois five. Nick Watts is the Captain of the Demons Saturday night opponent and was one of the three players on the team that brought the championship of the Conference to Illinois College. The other two members that played

off-tackle play in the first quarter after the Demons had advanced the ball 65 yards in a concerted drive. Loomis kicked the extra point.

on the championship team are the Fletcher brothers, Virgil, guard, and Cecil, forward. The year the Illinois college five won the championship they defeated St. Louis University by a score of 50-43. St. Louis had one of the strongest teams in the middle west.

Only three members of last year's crack team will be in the Demons' lineup this week. Tullos, center, Loftin, forward, and Wyatt, forward are the players to return for this year's squad. McGhee and Brown are expected to return after the holidays, leaving only one of last year's team absent. Baucum received his degree last spring.

Coach Prather has had two weeks in which to prepare the Demons for competition, and although the boys will probably not be at their peak, they can be counted on to uphold the prestige of Normal basketball teams.

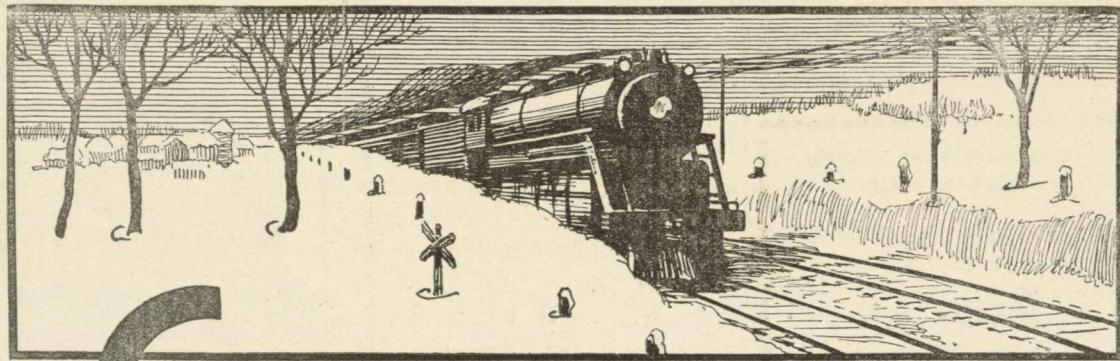
A definite combination has not been decided upon by Coach Prather. Tullos, center, Wyatt, forward, Loftin, either guard or forward, and Perkins, guard, are sure to be in the lineup at game time tonight. The other players will be either Walker or Linzay. If Linzay starts, Loftin will be used at a guard position; if Walker is used at the other guard position, Loftin will start at forward position.

The game will begin at 8 o'clock.

BROTHERS ON TEAM SATURDAY



These two brothers from Illinois College will play against the Demon basketball team Saturday night in the third home game this season. They are: Cecil Fletcher (sophomore), deceptive passer; and Virgil Fletcher (junior), well balance guard.



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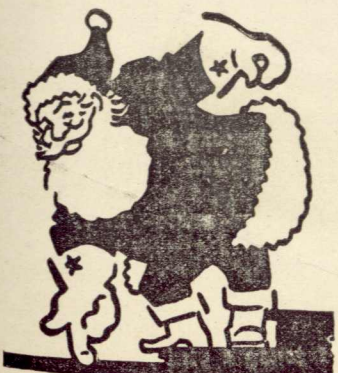
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Her Alma Mater

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during the year was at Christmas.

Mrs. Brown recalls the trip she made from her home to Natchitoches when she enrolled as a student at the Normal. Leaving Mansfield at midnight, she arrived at Natchitoches at 8 a. m. On the coach with her that morning was a Mr. Green who was on his way to Alexandria where he had been employed to manage the construction of the Texas and Pacific railroad from that point.

Normal coeds in those days had sweethearts as do those of 1936, and Mrs. Brown was no exception. Although she may have gone to an occasional party or dance with some of the boys attending the school, she remained true to "the one and only lover she ever had back home". She kept in close touch with him through regular correspondence, but distance kept them apart until her graduation day.

Then came the big surprise. As she seated herself on the platform along with the other two members of the graduating class, whom did she see in the audience but her sweetheart who had come all the way from Mansfield to see her graduate and who happened at the moment to be sitting beside the "prettiest girl in Natchitoches."

Mrs. Brown says that she had a burning desire to ask him then and there when and why he had come, but she restrained herself until after the ceremonies. When she did reach his side and they had withdrawn from the crowd, J. R. Brown, handsome and prosperous young business man of Mansfield, told her that she was remarkably beautiful and asked her to be his wife.

But Miss Mary Washington was not to throw her year's Normal training away to become the wife of even 'he only man she had ever loved. Swiftly and decisively her answer came, "I can't marry you now, J. R., as I have just learned how to teach and I must carry out my ambition."

J. R. Brown, however, remained steadfast in his suit, and a few years later won Mary Washington's hand in wedlock. Ten years ago the husband and lover died to leave his widow to dream alone of happy days when life was young.

In those early days, the Normal was conducted in a much different

fashion from what it is today. Then the instructors taught the student body for eight months each year and lectured six weeks in institutes, one week in a place, for the purpose of "publishing new methods of instruction to the citizens of the state."

The course followed by Mrs. Brown consisted of subjects in psychology, pedagogy and school management. She speaks highly of her teachers who, she states, were well grounded in the subjects they taught.

Mrs. Brown has kept alive to the rapid changes that have unfolded during her lifetime. Even now at the age of eighty she travels extensively and loves to listen to worthwhile programs over the radio. She visited the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas and also relatives in California last summer. Her next ambition is to visit the State Capitol in Baton Rouge.

Although her eyesight has failed during the last few years, Mrs. Brown's chief hobby in life has been reading. Her remarkable memory, her wealth of information, her keen sense of humor and her pleasing personality strikingly expressed in conversation combine to impress one that she has been, through the years, an ardent student of life at its best.

Mrs. Brown plans to visit the State Normal college campus when the new Governor Richard W. Leche Library is dedicated early

next year. It is hoped that the students of the college may meet her then, and perhaps get an inspiration from this venerable old lady who walked in the shadows of the columns three generations ago.

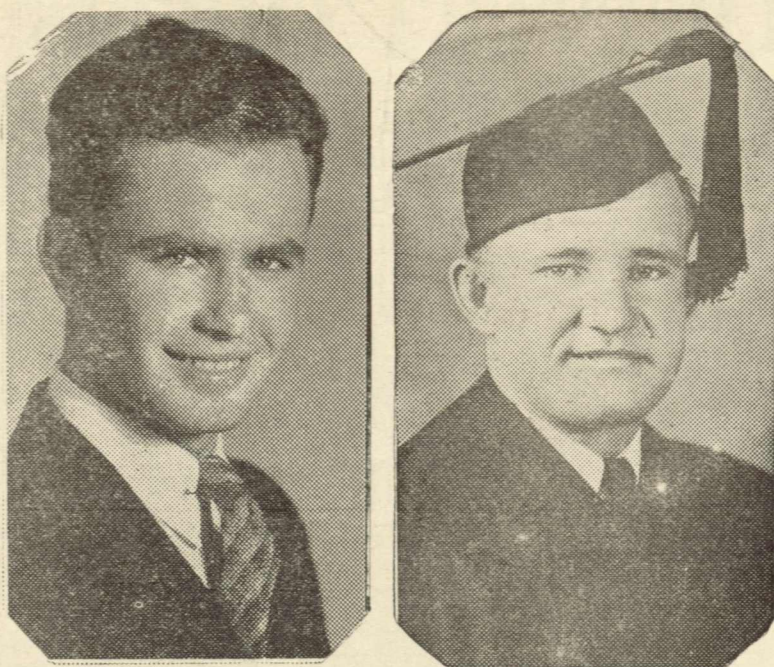
1937 Potpourri Plans Rapidly Taking Shape

Dummy For Annual Publication Here Is Complete, Class Pictures Submitted

Work on the plans for the 1937 Potpourri is continuing steadily, reports Dorothy Aden, editor. Contact was made this week with the publisher, E. H. Benson, who was in Natchitoches this week. The dummy for the work has been completed, and more than fifty pages, including class pictures and sorority and fraternity pictures, have been sent in to the printers.

Plans for two sections of the college annual that are of particular interest, the beauty section and the "Who's Who" section, are being made at the present. Those beauties whose pictures will appear in the Potpourri are being chosen from the twenty class beauties selected by the students; others, who have been leaders in various student activities, will be selected to appear in the section known as "Who's Who."

DELEGATES TO CONVENTION



Pictured above are Jimmie Austin and Stoner Moss who will represent the Normal College at the annual convention of the National Student Federation of America to be held in New York City during the Christmas holidays.

REGISTRATION

Latest figures on registration show that up until yesterday afternoon 1125 students had enrolled for the winter term at the college. Registration will remain open until January 4, 1937, first day of school after the Christmas holidays which begin Saturday, December 19.

Purple Jacket Club Entertained By Miss Winters

Miss Catherine Winters entertained the Purple Jacket Club and four guests, Miss Dean Varnado, Isobel Page, Velma Caston, and Marguerite Hanley, with a party on Thursday night, December 12, 1936 at the Hotel Nakatosh.

The tables were effectively decorated, carrying out Christmas colors. Red and green candles were appropriately placed on each of the tables at which four were seated. A Christmas tree bore prizes which were acquired by various winners in party games and contests.

Senior Dramatic Club Here Elects Officers for 1937

The following officers were elected by the Senior Dramatic Club at a meeting held Thursday, December 10: President, Marian Reeves; Vice-President, Marcia Durham; Secretary-Treasurer, Wanda Kuntz; Business Manager, Clifton Thomas; Stage Manager, J. S. LeBlanc; Sergeant-at-Arms, J. L. Collum; and reporter, Martha Ann Hall. These officers will preside during the winter term of this year.

A play-reading committee was also selected to begin planning for the winter term play. Those selected were W. O. Jackson, Harold Mitchell, and Martha Ann Hall.

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1936 Prosperous Year For College

Twelve Debaters Leave Today For Baylor Tourney

Speakers To Enter Contests In
Debate, Oratory, Extempore
And Poetry Reading

This morning twelve debaters comprising six teams left by bus for Waco, Texas to attend the Forensic Tournament at Baylor University, where they will participate in the junior and senior debate divisions, and in the oratory, extempore, and poetry reading contests.

According to R. L. Ropp, head of Forensics, he will enter two teams in the junior contest, one in the men's and one in the women's division. These teams will be composed of Gardner Krieger and Pat Murphy, and Corinne Cook and Mary Bell White, respectively.

Senior Debate Section

In the senior division four squads will be entered, two women's and two men's. Representing these squads will be for the women, Dorothy Aden and LaVerne Whitener; Willie Lou Talbot, and Bertha Crowder; while the men will be represented by Henry Ford Glass and John Norris and Al Rodriguez and John Makar.

In oratory Dorothy Aden will be the sole representative while LaVerne Whitener, Willie Lou Talbot, Al Rodriguez, and Pat Murphy will compete in the poetry reading contests. In the extempore contest Al Rodriguez, Dorothy Aden and John Makar will represent the Normal. Henry Ford Glass will enter the after-dinner speaking contest.

Second Tournament

The Waco Tournament is the second this season for the Normal debaters, as they attended the Winfield Tournament in Winfield, Kansas last month. At the Winfield tournament the Normal debaters won six out of eight debates and were represented by two squads.

Mrs. Ethel Hereford is accompanying the squads to Waco as chaperon. This trip to Baylor marks the third successive year that the Normal has been represented there.

The debate group will return to the campus Sunday.

New High School May Be Built On Normal Campus

Between \$500,000 And \$600,000 To
Be Spent On Modern
Structure

"Building plans for the new Natchitoches high school building are being rapidly pushed to completion," stated Superintendent E. A. Lee, Saturday.

The school board plans to spend approximately \$500,000 or \$600,000 on the building. The bond issue for \$350,000 has been voted. Application has been made to the Federal Government for an appropriation through the WPA; however, this loan has not yet been approved.

Normal Offers Site

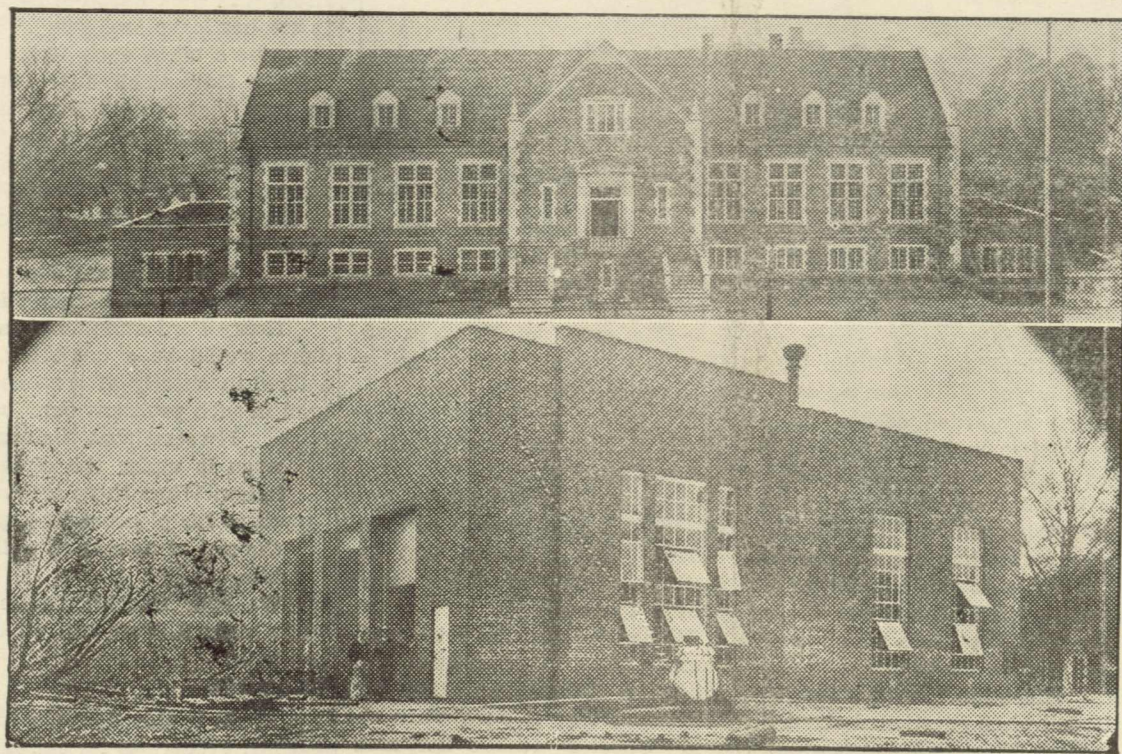
The Louisiana State Normal college administrative leaders have offered to cooperate with parish school officials by furnishing a building site on the college campus. This suggestion is under the advisement of the school board, but no official decision has been reached.

"The new high school will be modern in every respect," said Mr. Lee. All high school courses will be offered. In addition to the general course, commerce and home economics, there will be an agricultural course, a trades school, and manual arts.

Plans for Complete Plant

The plans call for a complete plant. There will be the usual class rooms and offices, a library, auditorium, athletic field, and gymnasium. The trades school and manual arts will be taught in a separate building, erected especially for that purpose.

NEW BUILDINGS OCCUPIED AT STATE NORMAL



These two new buildings at the Louisiana State Normal College were opened for use last week following a two-week holiday period for students and faculty. During the holidays new furniture and more than 40,000 books and periodicals were placed in the \$150,000 Governor Richard W. Leche library buildings, pictured at the top. The new \$225,000 heating and power unit at the State Teachers' college is shown below. Dedication exercises of the new structures will be held early this year.

Fine Arts Club Will Sponsor Annual Dance

The Fine Arts club of the Louisiana State Normal College will sponsor its annual costume ball, carrying out the Carnival theme, in the Women's gymnasium on Saturday night, January 23.

Plans are rapidly being made for a typical costume ball, similar to those given in the more southern parts of the state, paralleling the Carnival balls of New Orleans. It is the hope of the club that all will wear costumes.

Cash Awards

Cash prizes will be awarded those persons having the most outstanding costumes. Competent costume judges will make these awards.

The dance plans to be one of great color and gaiety. A floor show, sponsoring some of the college's outstanding talent, is to be made a part of the evening's entertainment.

Costumes To Be Worn

Everyone is asked to wear a costume and if costumes are not available, masks must be worn by those in attendance. This will render the success of the cross-tagging which will be found at the dance.

All members of the student body are asked to attend the ball. Color and costumes will aid in the successfulness of the affair.

1190 Registered At State Normal Winter Quarter

Training School And High Schools
Have Large Enrollments; Many
Students Teaching

A report from the Registrar's office today revealed an enrollment of 1190 for the Winter term of 1937 at the Louisiana State Normal college. This shows a slight decrease since this quarter last year, at which time these figures reached a total of 1218.

At the training school it was announced that registration had reached a total of 644. Enrollment at the high school is approximately 300. An estimate of the number taking extension and correspondence courses was near 650, bringing the total enrollment of the college and its branches to 2784.

It was also announced that there are 37 students doing practice teaching in the training school and 43 in the high school, besides numerous physical education teachers, the exact number of which was not obtainable.

Registration for this term closed on January 4, on which day students returned to classes from the Christmas holidays.

Vaudeville Show To Be Presented In Caldwell Hall

A very interesting and varied program will be presented on January 28 in Caldwell auditorium. The program will include music, poetry, magic, dancing and a dialogue.

The campus orchestra will render several numbers followed by the favorite Hill Billies. Song hits of the day will be sung by Miss Beth Reeves. Johnnie Makar and his magic, the Men's Glee Club, a dialogue by Miss Marcia Durham and Mr. O. R. Crew, a faculty quartet, and poetry by Al Rodriguez are other features in this entertainment.

State Oratorical Meet To Be Held On Campus Feb. 5

The annual state oratorical meet for college men and women will be held on the State Teachers' college campus on Friday, February 5, it was announced this week by R. L. Ropp, Director of Forensics here and local chairman of the contests. The meet was held at Louisiana College last year.

Several Colleges Expected Here
Centenary College of Shreveport, Louisiana College of Pineville, Southwestern Louisiana Industrial Institute of Lafayette, and the State Normal College are expected to enter contestants this year.

DON'T TAKE IT!

Take what? Influenza, commonly called flu, one of the most toxic and devastating diseases attacking the human race. Its victims are left by it more depressed and weakened than possibly from any other common disease.

The flu is a transferable disease caused by a filterable virus, and is a blood relative of the "common cold", which usually ushers it in. Pneumonia and tuberculosis are its frequent and deadly offspring. It spreads in epidemics like fire in a wind. Weather conditions are shaping all too favorably for it this winter. It is already widespread in the land. For its prevalence in the United States, see TIME, Jan. 11 issue, page 36.

Do not gamble on the flu not visiting Normal and its not disturbing you. It has little respect for medicines and even vaccines according to best recent authority, but previous attention to good personal hygiene in respect to rational diet, exercise, sleep, and fresh air will usually soften an attack and reduce its duration. If an epidemic visits us, as is quite likely, the damage done in its six to eight weeks' run would wreck many a student's term or worse.

How is flu spread? In secretions of nose and mouth, which are freely scattered in, coughing, sneezing into others' faces, in direct contact, in the secretion getting on hands and handkerchiefs and thence on such common articles as books, pencils, erasers, door knobs, basketballs, etc., and by mingling in crowds in public places. You should accept a responsibility to avoid spreading the disease in any of these ways so far as possible. The infection may be passed before one is stricken down.

Flu begins with a cold usually and hastens into a high fever, snapping headache and great prostration. It may attack the digestive or the nervous system, altho more commonly the respiratory system. Authorities agree that treatment should start in bed and continue there until the doctor gives release. Cut the diet down for a few days to tea, toast and fruit, especially oranges, grapefruit, or sweetened

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Dr. Clapp Returns From Extended Trip

Dr. Sarah L. C. Clapp, recently returned from an extended trip which took her first to Richmond, Virginia, and then to Washington, D. C.

At Richmond Dr. Clapp and President Fredericks represented the college at a meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Universities. After a brief period of sightseeing at Williamsburg, Jamestown, and Yorktown, the former went on to Washington where she continued work at the Congressional and Folinger Libraries in a study in which she has been engaged for about five years.

Progress Reported On 1937 Potpourri

Work on the 1937 Potpourri is progressing rapidly, it was announced this week by Miss Dorothy Aden, editor of the year book. The last class pictures for the book were filed with the engravers today.

Inclement weather has prevented the taking of organization pictures during the last few days. These pictures will be made as soon as weather condition permit, Miss Aden stated.

Reservations for the book are still being made, it was announced. Students desiring a 1937 Potpourri should reserve a copy before the end of the current session.

Building Program Here Totals More Than \$660,000 Last Year; Numerous Activities Sponsored

Personnel And Guidance Department Added;
Other Departments Enlarged;
Special Music School Held

A study of activities at the State Normal College for 1936 shows that the institution had a building program amounting to \$663,118.17; that it added one department and enlarged two others; that it sponsored a trip to the Texas Centennial Exposition, and a Know-Louisiana tour; that it offered a special 4½ weeks' school for music supervisors and teachers; and that it instituted student government and installed a national agricultural fraternity chapter.

Junior Dramatic Club Sponsors One-Act Plays

Plays Are Directed By Members
Of Senior Dramatic Club
Of College

Preparations are under way for the presentation in the near future of three one-act plays to be sponsored by the Junior Dramatic Club. Three one-act plays were selected by the club in preference to one three-act play because more of its members would be given an opportunity to display their acting ability.

The three plays include "The Dickey Bird", directed by J. L. Collum and Martha Ann Hall, with its cast of four, Elizabeth Huckaby, Corrine Scott, Dolph Lee, and Pauline Posey; "The Dear Departed", directed by Marcia Durham and W. O. Jackson, and its cast of Pat Murphy, Helen Davis, Muriel Guenther, Marjorie Davis, Francis Herman, and Derwood Bogan; and "Mary Means What She Says", directed by Marion Reeves, with a cast of V. A. Dunham, Edith Grinier, Clarence Greer, Arlie Denison, Ann Aldon, Ruth Allison, and Melvin Bradley. All of the directors are members of the Senior Dramatic Club.

The Junior Dramatic Club is an organization of young people who are interested in dramatics and wish to learn more of the art by taking part in short plays that are presented each term. The membership of the club is not limited, and any one who has any acting ability or any interest in dramatics is welcome to attend the weekly meetings.

Representatives Of A.A. of T.C. to Visit Normal Campus

Two representatives of the American Association of Teachers' Colleges will visit the campus of the State Normal College within the next few days, it was announced this week by President Albert A. Fredericks.

Selected by the Accrediting Committee of the Association, President Sherrod of Tennessee and President Kethney of Mississippi will inspect the college for the organization.

President Fredericks stated this week that the college has been asked by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools to keep all papers submitted by students during the spring quarter.

Junior Class Prom Held Last Saturday In Women's Gym

More than one hundred guests attended the Junior Prom held in the Women's gymnasium last Saturday night. Music was furnished by the popular campus orchestra.

Dancing began at 8:30 and continued until midnight. The gymnasium was decorated in rainbow colors and musical bars to lend the atmosphere of New Year's revelry and the spirit of "Auld Lang Syne".

The building program at the State Teachers' college, including a new library, a power house and new electrical equipment for the entire plant, and the completion of Warren Easton Hall, cost a total of \$615,118.17. WPA repair and renovation of dormitories and administration buildings amounted to \$40,000, and the landscaping project on the campus cost \$8,000.

The college added a personnel and guidance department, enlarged the music and physical education curricula and the visual education program, instituted student government and installed Beta chapter of Demeter, national agricultural fraternity.

College Activities

Activities sponsored by the State Normal College last year include a high school rally, a high school basketball tournament, a high school debate tournament, a college debate tournament, a high school track meet, a meeting of the North Louisiana High School Coaches Association, the Tri-State Music Convention, a trip to the Texas Centennial Exposition, a Know-Louisiana tour, a training school for WPA teachers, a parish-wide folk school, and two home-comings for alumni.

Special Summer Session

The college held a special 4½ weeks' school for public school teachers and supervisors in connection with the regular nine weeks' summer session. The special school was attended by 300 music leaders from 37 parishes in the state.

Twenty-nine teachers were granted leaves of absence for work on higher degrees during the year, and scores of faculty members served as lecturers at high school commencements and at folk schools during the spring and summer terms.

Speech Meet For High Schools To Be Held Feb. 13

Invitations to attend the second annual High School Speech Tournament at the State Normal College on Saturday, February 13, were mailed to high school principals and coaches of forensics throughout the state this week. The first tournament sponsored by the college here last year was attended by 35 teams from 12 high schools.

With the addition of extemporaneous speaking, oratory and poetry reading to the tournament this year, the meet is expected to be attended by more than 200 contestants from schools in every section of the state.

Visitors to be College Guests

No entry fees will be charged for any of the events in the tournament, local forensics authorities who have charge of the meet stated this week. The visiting high school contestants and their coaches will be guests of the college at a luncheon in the college dining hall at noon on the day of the meet.

Beginning at 9:45 a. m. with a general assembly in Caldwell Hall auditorium, the events will be held in regular order throughout the morning and afternoon, the final contests in extemporaneous speaking, oratory and poetry reading coming at 4:30 p. m. and the finals in debate at 5:15 p. m.

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GILBERT ORREN HOUSTON

Not only educational circles in the state but also the Louisiana State Normal college suffered a distinct loss when Gilbert Orren Houston died recently. His work and interests were principally concerned with public school education in the state and the problems of his fellow educators.

At the time of his death, he was serving as executive secretary of the Louisiana State Teachers' association, to which position he devoted the last six years of his life. Before this time he had served as president of the association, and for eighteen years previously, he acted as parish superintendent of DeSoto parish and assistant superintendent of schools in Caddo.

It was before this time that he was intimately connected with the Normal college inasmuch as he taught here for one year as a member of the faculty, after his graduation from the college a year before. And he was for a number of years president of the Louisiana State Normal College Alumni Association in which capacity he worked for the interests of students and graduates of the school.

Last week, Spencer Phillips, for years principal of Pelican High School, was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy left by Mr. Houston. It is significant to note that Mr. Phillips will be but carrying on the work that these two men started together many years ago when they were college chums on "The Hill." Last April, when college debaters won the championship of the Southern states, Mr. Houston, upon receipt of the information wrote to Mr. Ropp as follows:

"I received the story in connection with the debaters. I have also received the cut involved.

"In connection with this debating team, allow me to say that years ago, during the time Spencer Phillips and I attended the Normal School, it was a long time ago of course and way before your time, he and I organized some kind of state intercollegiate debating arrangement that has probably been the basis for all of this. Naturally, I looked upon your accomplishments and the accomplishments of these young men with a great deal of pride and a great deal of praise. Allow me to compliment you, and I hope you will compliment the members engaged in this enterprise because it is a worthy enterprise. Tell them for me that I am glad they won and that I am glad to be able to include a little story about them in the May issue of Louisiana Schools.

"With sincere good wishes and regards, I am,
"Sincerely yours,
"G. O. Houston."

Last summer, Mr. Phillips once again identified himself with the Normal college and paralleled the work of Mr. Houston when he taught history for the summer session at the college. Mr. Houston would no doubt have been happy to know that the work to which he gave his unstinted and unselfish service for years will be carried on by a life-long friend.

THE NEW LIBRARY

This paper wishes to express its gratitude in behalf of the student body to all those who have made it possible for the students of the Louisiana State Normal College to have access to such a magnificent building as the Richard W. Leche library which has recently been opened here.

This building provides excellent means for students to study and do, under ideal conditions, the necessary reference work in various courses.

The furniture in the library is of the most desirable type. The lighting facilities are of the best and the heating system in this new structure is idealistic both for study and health.

The availability of material is another factor which adds to the pleasure of frequenting this new library.

Just whether or not the students will take advantage of these excellent conditions is yet to be seen. Are not such surroundings conducive to study? Certainly, the student body is deeply appreciative of this recent addition to the campus.

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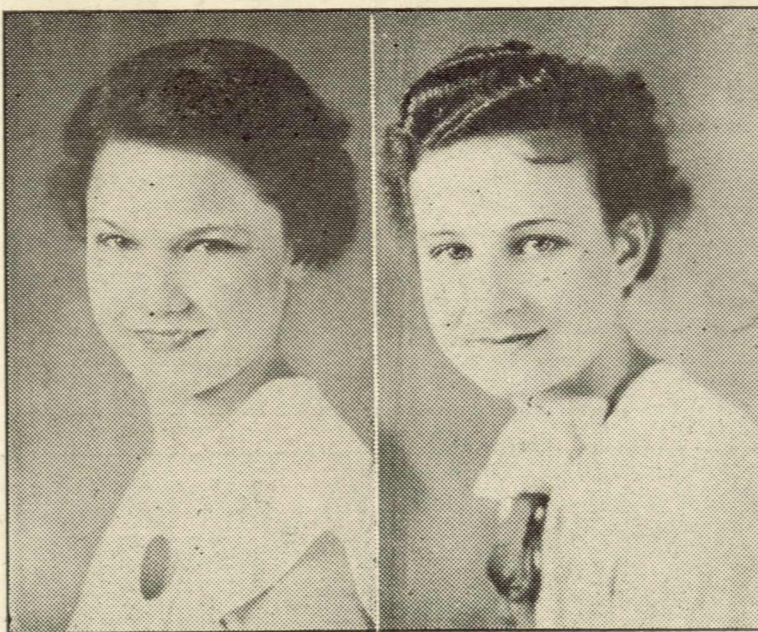
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pineapple or lemon juice. Then eat moderately of easily digested nourishing food to keep up the strength of body. Drink freely of water, if thirsty.

Before you or the other one is stricken avoid the double benches, and the allurements of the Field House. Take rational exercise, followed by a warm bath, eat a balanced ration, keep the feet dry, and avoid getting chilled. Gargle hot salt solution, teaspoonful of pint of water morning and night. Even then, if you don't get the flu, count yourself lucky.

DR. C. C. STROUD

Score Highest In Physical Tests



Pictured above are the two freshman girls who scored highest in the motor ability tests given all freshman women in the fall. The girls each made a score of 37 which was 14 points above the average score of 23, according to figures released by physical education authorities this week. They are Jane McCardell of Franklin and Fauchette Murry of White Castle. The girls were tested on neuromuscular co-ordination as displayed in various physical feats.

Jane McCardell, seventeen, was very active in high school athletics having participated in tennis, basketball, baseball, volleyball and having won the mixed doubles in tennis at the state rally in 1936.

"I came to the Normal college because I felt that it was the one school in the state which would best prepare me to major in physical education," said Miss McCardell when questioned about her decision to attend the Normal.

When asked about her health habits (which did not enter into the tests), she said, "I eat what I want to whenever I'm hungry, do not drink nor smoke, but do not keep regular hours."

Jane is a Pi Kappa Sigma pledge, a Junior Dramatic Club member and a W.A.A. devotee.

Fauchette Murry, is also seventeen, uses rouge only at night because her cheeks have a natural tint, likes sports of all kinds but is not "proficient in any", dances,

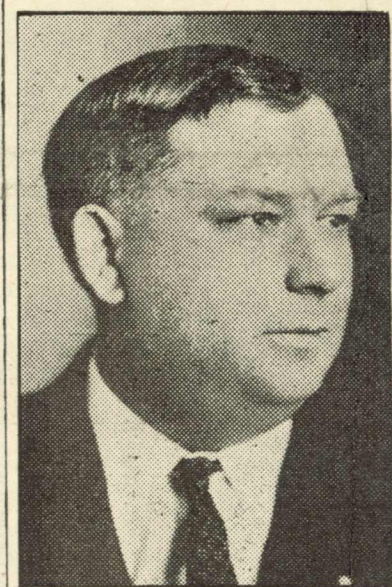
reads a lot, and makes above average grades.

She thinks that the boys as a whole "are not conceited" and that she likes Normal "but I'm just dying to go home every chance I can get."

At the time she was being questioned, one of her friends submitted a little information "off the record", as it were when she said "Shootie" (that's her nickname) eats peanuts continuously. She buys two packages of peanuts in the Field House practically every night—it's come to the point where people who would never dare look a peanut in the face, eat them with relish—or without, for that matter because of her example." (They must be interested in getting rosy cheeks.)

"Shootie" is a Theta Sigma Upsilon pledge, a Newman club member, and a brunette with natural wavy hair.

Alumnus Dies



G. O. Houston, secretary of the Louisiana Teachers Association and prominent alumnus of the State Normal college, who for years headed the Louisiana State Normal College Alumni Association died in Shreveport last week. On behalf of the student body, the Current Sauce offers its condolences to Mrs. Houston, and to her daughter, Frances who is a student here.

PHI KAPPA NU MEMBERS TO RAFFLE LARGE CAKE

According to a little "info" handed to a Current Sauce reporter, the Phi Kappa Nu fraternity will raffle-off a "delicious home-made cake" on January 20.

STUDENT BODY FINANCIAL REPORT

Itemized statement of expenses for the Fall term ending December 7, 1936:

Cash on hand at beginning of term.....	\$471.50
10-5-36 Skirts and trousers for Cheerleaders	\$ 20.00
10-15-36 Dues National Student Federation of America.....	25.76
10-19-36 Student Body Keys	45.85
Cheerleader sweaters	29.83
10-20-36 Cheerleader Megaphones	3.35
10-7-36 Editor of Current Sauce.....	72.50
Editor of Potpourri	72.50
11-5-36 Making and pressing cheerleader skirts	3.30
11-11-36 Flowers for maids at Home-coming	12.53
11-20-36 Student Council Dinner.....	13.60
11-28-36 Footballs (gold)	69.31
12-5-36 Student Council Stationery	9.25
	\$378.34
Student Body Loan Fund.....	93.16

TOTAL.....\$471.50

Signed:

C. R. WHITEHEAD, Ass't Treas.

OTTIE MAE DUNCAN,

Sec.-Treas. Student Body

JAMES AUSTIN,

Pres. of Student Body

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

From the looks of the members of this student body we'd say that everyone had a grand time during the holidays. The fact that the holiday period was in Leap Year had very little effect on the enrollment and since few, if any, came back wearing engagement rings, that as a line of gossip is out.

NEWS TO ALL!!!

An announcement of good news comes to the student body! Persons may attend the Monday afternoon picture and still be eligible for bank night!!!

We'd say "that absence does make the heart grow fonder" as many girls welcomed the idea of returning on Sunday and some, before . . . At present everything seems to be Wright with Catherine Brown . . . Sam Aaron is mourning the loss of Alice Marie. We hated to see her leave too, Sam . . . Marjorie Gaunt and Pittman Johnson see quite a bit of each other. Who doesn't admire that red-hair? . . . "Honey Gal" Cobb is treating the co-eds rather indifferently and do they "eat it up"! But definitely! . . . Have you noticed Jimmie Merritt running around as though lost? Some blondes have a way about them . . . Verone Ford and Steve Holstein don't mind the passing of hours . . . Ask Fay Forshee for her list of New Year's resolutions. We'd rather let you hear for yourself.

FLASH!!!

If we're wrong don't tell us but wasn't that Jo Peterson we saw in the library one night?

Henry Ford announced in the R. O. the other afternoon that the dance would be a boy's tag. Were two girl's faces red when they walked in shortly afterwards and tagged! That's alright girls we've been in such positions ourselves.

It seems that the music in the Field House in the afternoon is under the direction of one tall but ah! handsome fellow. When there are free pieces the machine is cut off and on at his pleasure. If he doesn't feel in the mood to struggle the rest of us may as well sit and pray for the mood to strike him.

We hear Snookie Shalin is preparing to ankle it up the aisle while Mary A. Ford has already taken the fatal step. Best wishes to you both!

ORCHIDS.

It is this flower, symbolic of worth, that is presented to Mr. Fredericks for the new library on the campus which has been opened since the Christmas holidays.

And, too, let us compliment the Junior class! What a swell dance last Saturday night! Everyone had a grand time!

Christmas holidays seemed to have played havoc with some of the campus heart-throbs. Louise Odum and J. P. Russell are now on outs. Eloise Welborn and W. E. Coyle seem to have no longer their old mutual heart interests. Wortley Flagg and Bill Bateman, Martha Ann Hall and Collier Smith, Virginia Magee and Rayford McLean have apparently split up.

At first we thought the Ruth Lee-Gerald Couch relationship was merely a platonic one but it certainly seems more serious now. What about it Ruth?

Speaking of football boys reminds us of Slack. He and Merritt made a quick-trip to Alex this week. Couldn't be the girl friends or could it? 'Twas known Slack had lost his heart in the south, seems as though Jimmie must have too! Oh! these blondes!!

WHAT'S THIS?

Willa Vae Rhodes spends all her spare time embroidering tea towels and luncheon sets. She can probably explain why. Far be it from us to be curious and ask why?

Bill Hart visited in New Orleans during the holidays! And by the way, he said he went to see the city! He probably did that very thing—but only incidentally!

CRASH!!!

Many students heard a loud crash at the gym last night! 'Twas a great relief to know that "Yaser" Pitts had merely broken a New Year's resolution.

The Listening Post

We hear that the folks along the Many route didn't know whether or not it was their bus that came along last Monday morning. Maybe it was the holidays, but it looks to us like a paint bucket was turned over.

Santa Claus' visit to three girls on the Grant Parish bus was supplemented by that of Dan Cupid. His darts brought new names to Marjorie Arrington, Mildred Davis, and Aline Worsham. May we offer our congratulations?

We hear that the Winnfield bus was very sorry to lose Aline Richardson and Pauline Sikes when they started boarding in town. So was Sam Mayeaux.

It seems that the Boyce bus can't decide whether it wants to run or not, so it compromises and comes nearly every other day.

We hear that Freshman Nelson Pollard says that going to college is making a good boy out of him!!

Congratulations Dimples Cook (or should we say Miss Cook?) Don't be too hard on the little Sabine Parishioners when you take over your school.

We hear that Alice Smith is having quite a time deciding who she's going to play with—Lester Beck or Clair McCain. It seems to us she'd hurry and make up her mind. Some of the others will be getting jealous.

Goodness, but Nell Duffy is getting in the news quite a bit lately, but she's asking for it. The idea of a college girl walking around with a Horn—and she says she's glad Christmas is over!!!

Last issue we welcomed one new member to our not-so-exclusive society of bus riders. This week we tender our felicitations to all the other new members who have joined our ranks.

GREEK NOTES

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Pi Kappa Sigma is happy to announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Anne, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whitehead, on Monday, December 28, 1936.

Pi Kappa regrets the loss of Betty Dowty, a pledge, who left school this week to begin secretarial work in Alexandria.

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha announces the marriage of Jean Hall to Clarence DeBlieux on December 21, 1936.

The local chapter entertained active and pledges with a Christmas party at the home of Mary Catherine Woodyard on December 15. Marie Hearne played Santa Claus. A fitted week-end case was presented to Miss Hall by the members. Refreshments in keeping with the season were served buffet style. Guests present were Mrs. Woodyard, Miss Nelken, Mrs. Suddath, Mrs. Dunckelman, and Mrs. Brock.

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

Before leaving for the holidays, Kappa chapter enjoyed a Christmas banquet in the Blue Room of the Hotel Nakatosh. After dinner, gifts were distributed to the guests and carols were sung by the group. Besides regular members, several alumnae were present, as were the advisor, Miss Hope Haupt, and the patroness, Mrs. R. L. Ropp.

On January 5, Miss Haupt entertained the chapter with a New Year's surprise party which opened what chapter leaders hope to be one of the most active winter social season in years.

IN MEMORY OF

S. A. Williams of Jonesboro, former Normal college student and freshman football player, who died December 24, 1936. He was a member of Lambda Zeta fraternity. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. S. A. Williams of Shreveport.

NORMAL DEMONS PLAY WILDCATS SATURDAY

Cagers Break Even In Six Contests Played This Year

Demons Win Two From Magnolia A. & M.; Split With E. Texas; Lose To Illinois And SFA

In the five cage games played before the holidays and one in the last week the Normal Demons won three and lost three. Magnolia A. & M., was defeated twice by the Purple and White cagers in the first games of the current season. The first score was 66-36 and the second 39-31.

Next on the Demons' schedule was the strong East Texas Teachers of Commerce who met the Demons in the Normal gymnasium. The first game with the Texans ended 53-35 in their favor. The rangy East Texas center counted for them a majority of his teams points. In the second game the Demon cagers took the measure of the Texans, 34-32, in a fast contest that found both squads playing good defensive ball.

On the Saturday before the holidays the Illinois college quintet met the Demons in the Normal gym and defeated the local five.

The Northerners displayed a smooth working team, showing itself the superior team throughout the contest. In Watts, the Illinois school had one of the most polished players to perform on the Normal floor in quite awhile. Throughout the second half Coach Prather played his second team which was composed of sophomores. These reserves played an aggressive game, displaying plenty of fight and hustle.

Last Wednesday night Coach Prather took his squad to Natchitoches to meet the Stephen F. Austin cagers. The Texans defeated the local squad 49-19. Coach Prather said the Lumberjacks had the best basketball team he had seen in ten years. The Stephen F. Austin squad is considered the best in Texas basketball circles. Last year the Lumberjacks defeated Normal early in the season by twenty points and when they met the Demons here in the local gym in the last game of the season, they were defeated by the same margin.

Demon Quintet Wins Two Games In Mississippi

No Report Available On Last Night's Game With Miss. Teachers

According to telephone reports received here, the local basketball team defeated Mississippi college Monday night, 37-32, and overwhelmed Millsaps Tuesday night, 54-27.

At the time the Current Sauce went to press there was no information available on last night's game with the Mississippi Teachers who are reported to have a strong team.

The two wins give the Demon cagers a better average than that noted in the story above.

The Prather coached squad will return to the campus some time today.

WILL PLAY SATURDAY NIGHT



These regular starters will be seen in action against the Louisiana Wildcats Saturday night. They are: (1) Marvin Wyatt, forward; (2) Milton McGee, guard; (3) Bill Loftin, forward; (4) E. D. Perkins, guard; Elmo Tullos, center.

W. A. A. Institutes Winter Program At State Normal

The Women's Athletic Association began its program of activities on Thursday, January 7, with registration for active participation in the major winter sport, basketball. Each dormitory is represented by teams. "A" and "B" dormitories will probably have three teams each.

Many of the girls enrolled for this sport have come from high school with four years of playing experience, and from the evidence of ability in skill practice, competition will be keen in the W.A.A. Intramural Basketball Tournament, leaders say.

During the fall term, 160 girls participated in the Volley Ball play period. This participation was entirely voluntary, and not in any way connected with required class work. In the tournament conducted in volleyball, the first team from "C" dormitory defeated the first team from "A" dormitory in the final game.

Weekly Recreation Hour
The W.A.A. will conduct a weekly Recreation Hour for both men and women students. Recreational games for mixed groups will be provided. The date and time of the first meeting will be announced this week.

The Outing Club, an affiliation of the W.A.A., will sponsor another hike for its members on Saturday afternoon, January 16. A hike up the road on the east bank of Cane river is planned. Announcements will be placed on the bulletin boards of all dormitories.

The Orchestis Dance Club is planning to conduct its second annual Stunt Night, at an early time.

TIP-OFFS

With the advent of the 1937 basketball season, Coach Prather will begin his twenty-fourth year of basketball tutelage here at the Louisiana State Normal College. In the course of this time he has gained for the Normal college the reputation of having the most formidable hardwood team in the state. Year after year he has molded his material into teams that have won the greater part of their scheduled games, and have brought to the college the supremacy among the Louisiana schools.

Coach Prather advocates the fast break offense coupled with quick hard passing, which requires fast, aggressive men. In the first games of this season of which three were won and two lost, the Normal cagers showed lack of aggressiveness. Probably this was because of early off-season form. But in the three games at home during the week before the holidays, the Demons lack of aggressiveness was very evident. Shots from the court were not backed nor was the ball hustled on the tip-off or free. Last year the greatest aid to the Demons in their many victories was the manner in which they hustled. With three of the first stringers of that team of last years squad along with a group of promising sophomores for Coach Prather to build his team, it is the opinion of this writer that the Demons will show marked improvement as the season goes along.

Tullos, the Demon center, is playing his last year. With his graduation, the Demons will lose a good center. Much is expected of Tullos this year. Also playing his last year is "Jack of All trades" Wyatt. During the last two years Marvin has been a big factor in Normals successful cage campaign.

"Bowl" Will Be Constructed At Normal College

Construction of a "bowl" to be used for football and track events at the Louisiana State Normal college here has been approved by WPA officials, it was announced Monday by President Albert A. Fredericks.

The project for the excavation which is to cost \$27,600 was secured largely through the efforts of A. Leonard Allen of Winnfield, U. S. Congressman from the eighth district. Final approval was given the plan today by Jas. H. Crutcher of New Orleans, Works Progress Administrator for Louisiana.

The new gridiron and track

PRATHER COACHED QUINTET PLAYS WILDCATS OF LOUISIANA COLLEGE IN FIRST CONFERENCE TILT HERE

Visitors Reported To Have One of Best Cage Teams In History; Colquette Will Not be Able To Play Because of Injury

The Normal Demons return home after a week of touring Mississippi for a conference tilt against the Louisiana College Wildcats in the Normal gym Saturday night.

Reports from Pineville are to the effect that the Wildcats have the best team in the school's history, and the Demons will probably have rough sailing in their encounter with the boys from Pineville Saturday. Tullos who

suffered an injury in the game with Stephen F. Austin last week will probably be able to play but will be handicapped by his injury. Colquette came out of the game with the Texans with a sprained ankle and will not be able to play. Other than these two ailments the Demons will be ready for the Cats.

Last year the Louisiana College squad fell before the Demon cagers twice. In both games Normal gained their victories by wide margins. Year before last the Wildcats took the Demons into camp each time the clubs met in two engagements. And so this year it's the Pineville boys' turn, but at Normal the basketball players of Coach Prather are not in a habit of losing games in their own gym, especially when their opponent is Louisiana College.

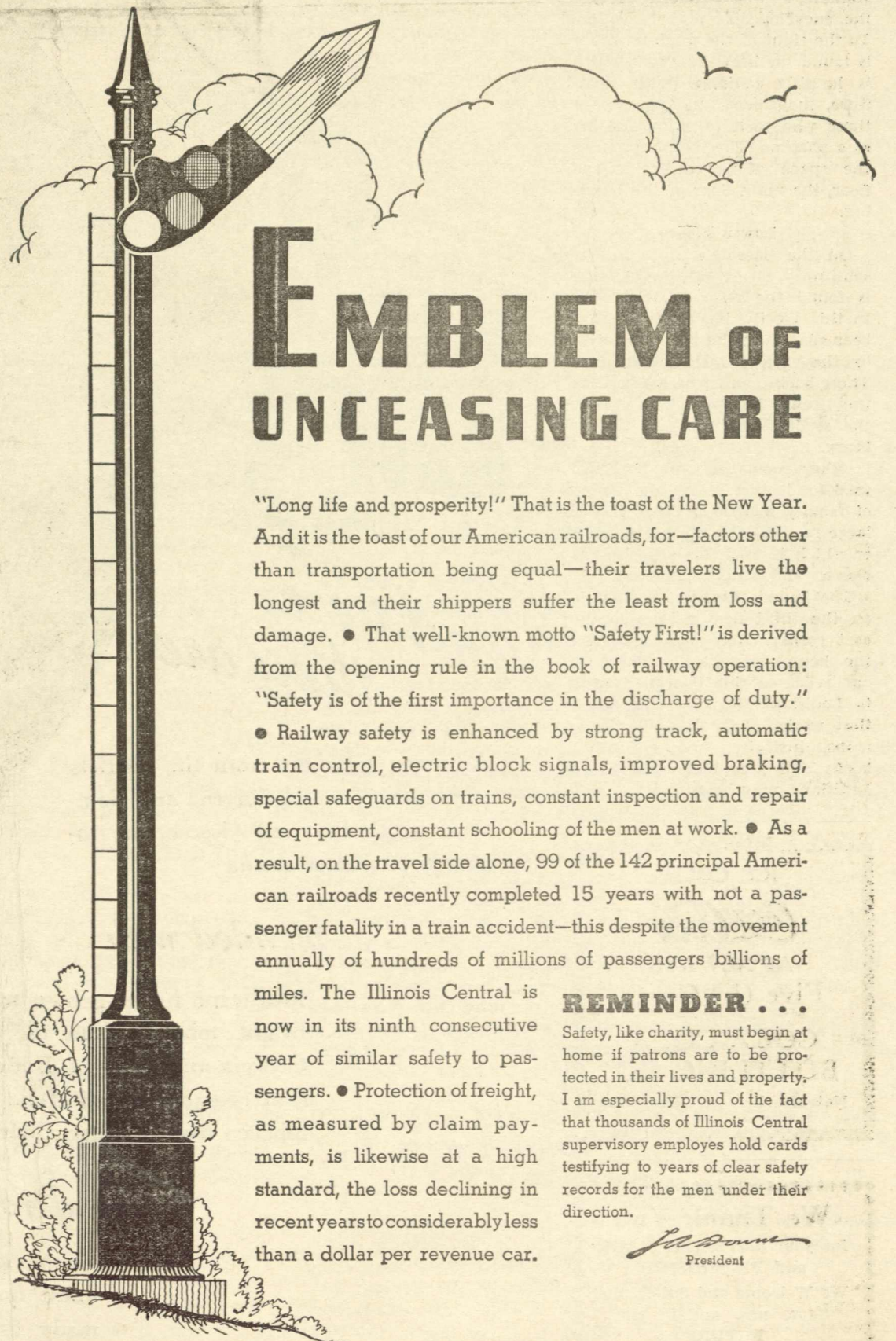
Coach Prather will probably stick to the line-up that he had used since the holidays. Tullos, if he is able to play, will start at center with McGee and Wyatt at forwards. Perkins, sophomore star, and Loftin will be the choice at the guard positions. In Linzay and Colquette, forwards; Burgess, center; Elkins, Walker and Skinner, guards, Coach Prather has some capable reserves whose only handicap is lack of experience. Each of the above Demons, with the exception of Walker, is a sophomore.

It is estimated that 18,794 cubic yards of compact earth will be removed in excavating and that 22,553 cubic yards will be used in grading.

All excavation will be done by hand, according to plans outlined by WPA officials. It is proposed to use the endless chain method of loading the wagons, thus making possible the maximum number of men available and conserving the time usually lost by teams awaiting loading.

Work on the project will begin early this year, President Fredericks stated. A total of 153 men working in two shifts will be employed for a five-month period on the new field.

Construction of the bowl at the State Normal college here is the initial step in the erection of an athletic stadium to replace the present athletic field, the site of which will be required shortly for additional buildings on the State Teachers' college campus.



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Still Enthusiastic Normalite



Pictured here is Mrs. Mary Washington Brown of Mansfield as she appeared when she graduated from the Louisiana State Normal at Natchitoches a half century ago and as she looked recently when she presented her Alma Mater a valuable collection of magazines. Mrs. Brown, member of the first graduating class at the Normal in 1886, plans to visit the State teachers' college campus when the new Governor Richard W. Leche library is dedicated early this year.

New Governor Leche Library Here Opened

Rooms Provided For Reference
Work, Offices, Lectures
And Browsing

The Richard W. Leche library of the Louisiana State Normal college was opened to students and faculty members here January 4, 1937.

As one enters the library from the main approach he finds himself within the main reading room where books may be checked out for a fourteen day period of time. On the southeast side of this same floor is found the reference room, where a large number of outstanding as well as late editions of the encyclopedias may be found. To the right of the main entrance is found the browsing room which is lavishly equipped with furniture, magazines, and papers for those who wish to enjoy reading as a pastime. The rooms comprise the space of the entire second floor, the main floor of the building.

Lower Floor

On the basement floor in the southwest corner of the building is found the reserve book room. In this are the books which have been placed on the reserve shelves by the various faculty members. These books cannot be taken from the library but may be used by the students only within the library.

Other rooms on this floor are used for lecture rooms and offices of faculty members. There is one large room at the southeast corner which is used for large lecture classes and visual education.

The bound magazine section is on the third floor at the southeast corner. Here are found all the bound periodicals. There is one room on this floor dedicated to Louisiana. It is in this space that works of Louisiana writers, maps, histories, and all other books and pamphlets relative to Louisiana may be found.

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Former Normal College Student Writes Truth About The Navy

(Note: This story was written by Dick Fluit, former student of the college, who joined the navy recently. In the letter accompanying the article, he writes of his desire to be back at the Normal which, he says, has a campus that is "one of the most beautiful I have seen anywhere I have visited.")

Quite often the general public misinformed about our Navy and the personnel who operate the ships and stations.

A battleship is almost like a city within steel bulkheads. Aboard this ship (U. S. S. Pennsylvania, San Pedro, Calif.), as in all capital ships of the Navy, one will find men engaged in many different kinds of work. Training is offered in more than 57 trades, and all but a few are used on the larger ships—a few of these are: quartermaster, boatswains mates, signalmen, radiomen, cooks, bakers, officers' cooks, officers' stewards (these two are filled by negroes and Filipinos), machinists mates, watertenders, electricians, moulders, coppersmiths, boiler makers, blacksmiths, carpenters, shipfitters, gunners' mates, range finders, pharmacists mates, storekeepers, yeomen, musicians, aviation machinists, aviation carpenters, aviation mechanics, and others.

Ship Life

Aboard this ship, we have movies every night (free), our own stores, soda fountain, library, barber shop, shoe shop, tailor shop, pressing shop, canteen, and dial telephones.

We have the latest equipment for managing the ship, and the personnel is trained for certain types of work which gives one a chance to work on what he likes.

The Navy is far from being a place where men stand around all day in dress uniforms and play games. We have schedule to follow and hours of work to do. We cannot go ashore whenever we like, as the movies sometimes show; and, too, all sailors do not make a practice of making fools of themselves when ashore—there

are only a few out of a large group who do such things. (Which is a normal average.)

In the Navy one finds men from all over the United States, and a sailor, as a rule, is no different from his civilian brothers. He loves, works, and enjoys life almost in the same way as anyone, but his life is sometimes difficult as he isn't privileged to be ashore every night. As a rule the fleet gives liberty according to sections, and half of the ships company must be aboard at all times while at anchor.

Well, so long friends, I'll be with you again in a couple of weeks. . .

Information On Aid For Graduate Study Is Available Now

According to a statement made this week by Dr. Sarah L. C. Clapp for the American Association of University Women, "there is available information concerning fellowships, scholarships, and other aid for advanced work in all fields of study at colleges, universities, and special schools in the United States and abroad."

It is the desire of the committee on Graduate Study and the members of the local A.A.U.W. to assist young men and women of high academic standing in the continuation of their training, along lines of higher education.

Anyone interested in securing such aid should communicate with Dr. Sarah Clapp, Louisiana State Normal college, Natchitoches Louisiana. Applications should be made by March for assistance next fall.

Twinkle, Twinkle Little Light For You Shall Blink No More

When Abe Lincoln sat with his books and shovel by his flickering fireplace, he probably thought of what a luxury it would be to study in the light of a smooth-burning candle. But Abe didn't

Austin And Moss Represent Students At National Meet

James Austin, president of the Student body, and Stoner Moss, president of the senior class, represented the Louisiana State Normal college at the twelfth annual congress of the National Federation of America which was held in New York City from December 28 to January 1.

Delegates Greeted

The delegates were welcomed by Arthur Northwood, Jr., president of the National Student Federation of America. He brought out in his welcoming address the fact that students come from every section of the United States representing every conceivable type of educational institution. He further stated that the delegates came seeking the solutions to problems which from time to time have confronted them. These problems were thoroughly discussed in various round table sessions.

Aubrey Williams, administrator of the N. Y. A., stated that it was one of the purposes of the convention to help carry out this program of giving financial aid to those students who needed it in order that they might continue to pursue their college education.

The theme carried out in the programs at this convention was "The Students in a Democracy".

The rules and regulations governing the students at Normal college were presented to the association and ranked among the best present.

have to cram all night for examinations. Nowadays, Normal students find it tiring to their eyes to read for a great amount of time in the light of flickering electric bulbs that somehow are reminiscent of twinkling stars.

But the new power-house on the Normal campus is scheduled to start operating next month. Then the students will be afforded a more luxurious condition for studying—if anything connected with studying can be called luxurious. Those twinkling stars that adorn the ceilings and walls and tables of campus buildings will no longer be the cause of tired or dark circled eyes, for the lights will burn with a smoother brilliance.

New Apparatus

Modern power converting apparatus is to be put to work in the newly erected plant to supply a steady force of electricity. Alternating current will be generated by converting oil and gas into heat by combustion in furnaces; water into steam pressure by utilizing the heat of the combustion; steam pressure to turn the wheels of the dynamo; and the dynamo to generate the flow of electricity through wires to the various campus connections, some of which will be the light bulbs that are used by the aforementioned students. (We could go on with this physics lesson, but will spare our readers.)

Finishing touches such as installing the dynamo into its bed, making electrical connections, and painting is expected to be completed by January 4, when classes resume after the holidays, or soon after.

Marguerite, my editor sweet, if you could only see The mental strain that I've gone through,

You sure would pity me.—Berkie

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BIG VAUDEVILLE SHOW TONIGHT

Extensive Creative Program Featuring Spring Festival Will Be Instituted On Campus

Major Interest of The Festival Will Be Sponsoring of Little Theatre One-Act Plays Depicting Life of St. Denis

The advisory committee of the Fine Arts Club, consisting of Mrs. Olive Cooper, organizer and faculty president; R. L. Ropp, business manager; and Miss Marguerite Hanley, student president, are sponsoring a creative program which constitutes a unique spring festival for Natchitoches and the Louisiana State Normal college.

The major creative interest of this festival will be the sponsoring of Little Theatre one-act plays on the romance of the Life of St. Denis, founder of Natchitoches, the oldest town in the original Louisiana.

Purchase. Included in this contest will be rivalry for the artistic backgrounds depicting history in the eighteenth century. There will also be awards made for those composing music inspired by historic racial habits and the activities of the first settlers here. These compositions must be original and all phases of the contest must have true historic foundation.

This contest is open to statewide competition. The committee plans to get glamorous history that will lend greater interest to historic Natchitoches and one of the state's oldest colleges.

The committee is also offering a cash prize for original poems. These must be read by the author.

Fifty dollars will be given to the best compositions in each of the four contests provided these original compositions are classified as works of art. Otherwise cash prizes based upon the merit of the composition will be awarded. This will be left to the decision of the judges. Should the results of this contest not bring forth the classical compositions which is the aim of this committee this same subject will be used the following year.

Contestants must enroll for either contest by February 15. All (Continued on Last Page)

Annual P. T. A. Carnival To Be Staged On Feb. 5

"Carnival Of Seasons" Is Theme Of Pageant To Be Presented In Men's Gymnasium

Plans for the annual Carnival of Seasons to be held February 5 in the men's gymnasium were announced yesterday by Mrs. George Sutton, president of the Natchitoches Parent-Teacher Association. Pupils from the Natchitoches high school, the Holy Convent and the Normal Training School will comprise the students participating. A ball and floor show will be held in the evening. Admission will be 25 cents for adults; and ten cents for children, the funds to be used for health promotion.

Sandwiches, candy, cold drinks and numerous other small articles and favors will be sold. Mrs. C. C. Stroud is planning to sell her marmalades and Miss June Cooley will raffle an embroidered pair of pillow cases and sheet with crocheted edges. The winning number will be drawn at the afternoon performance.

The ball, scheduled to start at 8:30 p. m., is in the charge of Mrs. Harry Suddath. Miss Rosemary Thomas will direct the procession and coronation. The floor show will be staged by Miss Marjorie Haworth and her pupils.

The funds raised by the ball will be used for the entire year's program of the P. T. A., whose main interest is in nutrition and giving of tubercular tests by Dr. Knipmeyer to children of the training school and high school. Last year, the P. T. A. was instrumental in securing installation of two sanitary drinking fountains on the playgrounds of the training school.

AN URGENT APPEAL

With more than a half million people made homeless by flood waters in ten states, an urgent appeal is being made by all news agencies in the United States for assistance in relieving the plight of these unfortunate people. In conformity with this movement, the Current Sauce feels that the student body and the faculty of the State Teachers' college should be given an opportunity to aid in this humanitarian cause by the setting up of some agency on the campus for the collection of any contributions which the people of the college may want to subscribe.

The Current Sauce suggests that plans be made by some worthy group, particularly the religious organizations, to give the students and faculty a means whereby their co-operation in this nation-wide movement may be shown. It is felt that if this were done, several hundred dollars might be collected for the flood sufferers.

It is not necessary for the Current Sauce to present an argument stressing the distress and havoc that are wrought by floods, inasmuch as Louisianians are well aware, from first hand experience, of the suffering which follows in the wake of over-flowing rivers.

This paper proposes, therefore, that the faculty and the student body go on record as having contributed 100 per cent to the Red Cross for the great work that this group is carrying on.

Newman Club Sponsors Series Of Lecturers Here

Gulf States Province Convention To Be Held At Lafayette In April

The Newman Club is looking forward to an active program with a series of lectures beginning Sunday, the election of new officers "in the air" and two conventions to be attended before the end of the year.

Father Huber of Lafayette, La., is to lecture in the Newman Club House. The Gulf States Province Convention is to be held at Lafayette in April and the national convention is to be at Denver, Colorado, in July.

Coach Joseph Aillet spoke on the advantages of Catholicism during a recent meeting of the club.

Plans For New High School Near Completion

President Albert A. Fredericks stated this week that plans for the new high school and training school buildings which the Natchitoches Parish School Board hopes to build on the campus are complete up to the point of securing approval of the application that has been made for W. P. A. assistance in the project. This statement was confirmed by Superintendent E. A. Lee, who also stated that the school board plans to spend \$500,000 or \$600,000 on the buildings. A bond issue for \$350,000 has been voted.

The site which the college has agreed to furnish for these buildings is the present college athletic field. According to present plans, which may be altered in the future, the high school building will be located at the end of the field, next to the women's gymnasium; the training school will be located between that building and the men's dormitory. It is hoped that construction will begin in the spring, stated Mr. Fredericks.

Bishop Desmond Of Alexandria To Give Annual Sermon here

Bishop D. F. Desmond of Alexandria has accepted the invitation to deliver the annual Baccalaureate Sermon at the State Normal college here on Sunday, May 23, it was announced this week by President Albert A. Fredericks.

Annual commencement exercises at the State Teachers' college will be held on Saturday, May 29. The annual spring homecoming of alumni will also be held on May 29.

Many Schools To Enter Speech Meet On February 13th

Rules And Regulations Governing Events Of Tournament Here Are Listed

Many high schools throughout the state are expected to enter students in the second annual High School Speech Tournament at the State Normal college on Saturday, February 13, it was announced this week by R. L. Ropp, director of forensics here and chairman of the speech meet.

"Several high school principals have told me personally that they intend entering contestants in the meet," Mr. Ropp said this week. "and I believe that with the added features of the tournament this year we can reasonably expect a large representation of students from every section of the state to enroll for competition in the four events listed in the tournament."

Following are the rules and regulations governing the events (Continued on Last Page)

Demeter Members Speak At Pollock In Second Program

Last night four members of Demeter, national agricultural fraternity, appeared on an agricultural education program in the high school auditorium of Pollock.

The group headed by Mr. Nelken left the campus late yesterday afternoon and spoke in Pollock that night. Collier Smith talked about horses and mules, Buddy Smith spoke on "Poultry", James Merritt discussed "Beef Cattle", and Raymond Szczesniul acted as chairman for the group.

This was the second program of its kind given by the local fraternity this year. The first was given on January 16 at Readhimer.

The programs given thus give the members an opportunity not only to disseminate useful agriculture knowledge but also to acquaint the members with the fundamentals and practices of public speaking.

Repairs On Dorms Near Completion

Recent reports show that all repairs on the women's dormitories will soon be completed.

Last year a renovation program for all the dormitories on the campus was launched. This program has been carried out with the exception of the men's buildings. These will undergo repair at an early date.

The last of girls' dormitories will be finished within the next few weeks.

Caldwell Auditorium To Be Scene Of Variety Show Embracing Every Phase Of Normal College Activity

Program Will Include More Than Fifteen Acts of Selected And Varied Entertainment

More than seventy-five performers will entertain an audience of students in Caldwell auditorium at 7:30 tonight in a mammoth vaudeville show comprising more than fifteen acts ranging from music, mirth, magic, and melody to rural rhythm, rah-rah poetry, dialectic dissertations and faculty foibles. A nominal fee of admission will be charged.

All arrangements for tonight's show have been made by Miss Marjorie Patterson, who will not only direct the

Orators To Speak Here In State Contests

Four Colleges To Enter Representatives In Oratorical Meet At College Feb. 5

Dorothy Aden and John Makar will represent the Normal college in the annual State Peace Oratorical contest to be held here on February 5. They will vie for honors with contestants from Centenary, Louisiana College, and Southwestern.

The speakers will compete for prizes totaling more than \$150.00. In the men's division prizes will be distributed as follows: First place, \$50.00; second place, \$30.00; and third place, \$20.00. The women's prizes will be first, about \$30.00 and second \$20.00.

In the preliminary held here last week, a contest which caused R. L. Ropp, head of Forensics to remark, "This has been the best preliminary contest I have heard at the Normal", Henry Ford Glass and Al Rodriguez competed with John Makar. Glass used the oration, "Rebuilding Our Civilization," Rodriguez entitled his oration, "Is Progress a Delusion?", while Makar's title was: "No Profit, No Glory, No Use."

In this State meet, the first at the Normal since 1933 Miss Aden and John Makar will have a winning tradition to uphold, for in the last five years Normal has won three first places, one second, and one third. Also the Normal is the only college in the State to have ever won first in both the women's and men's divisions of the Peace Contest, this was done the last time that the meet was held here through the winning of Madlyn Kerr and Henry Pierson.

Three Faculty Members on '37 C. of C. Board

Three members of the State Normal college faculty and administrative staff were elected members of the 1937 board of directors of the Natchitoches Chamber of Commerce at the annual meeting of the local association last week.

The new faculty board members are C. R. Whitehead, assistant professor of education and psychology; and Sylvan Nelken, head of the department of agriculture.

President Albert A. Fredericks addressed the members of the Chamber of Commerce at their annual meeting on the progress of the State Teachers' college.

Copy For 1937 Catalog Mailed To Printers

Copy for the 1937 catalog of the State Normal college was mailed this week to the Standard Printing Company of Alexandria, printers of this year's book, it was announced today by R. L. Ropp, chairman of the catalog committee and head of the publications department here.

The new catalog is expected off the press the latter part of next month.

destiny of the entertainment but also give her inimitable rendition of "The St. Louis Woman."

Among the musical features of the program will be the "Demon Knights" orchestra, the "Hill Billies", a faculty quartette whose membership has not been announced, a sextette of girls whose identity is also being kept a secret, renditions of songs by Beth Reeves, Myrtis Sexton, and Miss June Cooley of the training school faculty, a demonstration by the "One Man Band" better known as Benjamin Shuler, and songs by the Men's Glee Club.

Among the variety acts will be included a harp duet by Ruth Moreland and Juanita Russell, poetry as only football players can render it (in this case, Sims Jackson, Gerald Couch, and Wilburn Slack), sleight of hand by John Makar, tap dancing by Marjorie Haworth, and Markham's "Man with the Hoe" by Al Rodriguez.

A special dialogue will be given by Miss "Kush-Kush" Montgomery and a Natchitoches cohort experience in expounding "Gi-Gi" accent.

Directors of the show claim that this will be the biggest entertainment feature of the year embracing talent from faculty, student, and Natchitoches groups.

Carole Lombard Acts In College Newsreel With Other Stars

Teachers At Home, Fine Arts Ball Queen, Basketeers, And Others To Share Spotlight

Blond, blue eyed, glamorous Carole Lombard will emote for Normal Newsreel fans on February 11 at 7:00 p. m. on Caldwell's silver screen, when the first program of the new season will be put on. To share the lime-light with Miss Lombard will be some of the stellar stars of the Normal campus.

Sally Eilers Also in Cast
Carole Lombard will take the lead in the movie-short the "Campus Vamp" and will be supported in the cast by Sally Eilers. This movie of Carole will be one of the three features to be shown, and will last half an hour, which will make this showing the longest yet.

Teachers in Home-Roles to Be Feature

The feature of the newsreel will be candid shots of various instructors at work around the home. Mr. Fournet will be seen with hammer in hand fixing up the old homestead, while Mr. Miller between puffs of a cigarette will be seen raking up the fallen leaves. Also on the scene will be Mr. Miller's young son in a short wrestling act with the family dog. Professor Alexander is candidly shown rolling up his son's trouser legs.

Mr. Prather and Basketball Squad in Action

Other shots will give a close-up of Mr. Prather and his basketball Demons in action, the queen of the Fine Arts Dance, and the departure of the debating squad for Waco, Texas.

The vaudeville show, a regular feature of the program, will include various numbers as arranged by Marjorie Patterson.

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NORMAL LEADS AGAIN

The State Teachers' college led once again in bringing to the college field of Louisiana progressive ideas and activities which are being followed by other institutions in the state. For years the college has fostered visual education instruction through the medium of moving pictures and last fall completed the program by purchasing a moving picture camera which has been used for recording events and activities on the campus, including football, special events, classroom work, as well as picturing the campus from many angles in both plain and natural colors.

Just last week we note in an article in the **Tech Talk**, student paper of Louisiana Tech, that the Ruston institution has just completed plans for the purchase of a picture projector to be used to show educational films "in connection with regular class work." In addition to this the college plans to purchase a silent camera "to photograph football plays, etc."

The visual education program at Tech, however, differs from that of the Normal inasmuch as costs incident to the installation and maintenance will be met by "a fee of 50 cents" which "will be included in the registration charges," thereby forcing every student to contribute to the project.

The Current Sauce congratulates the sister institution of the State Normal College in following the progressive move initiated by the State Teachers' college of Louisiana.

DREAMERS AND DOERS

On almost every campus in the country there are generally to be found anywhere from two or three to a dozen or more honorary fraternities whose chief purpose in existing is evidently the maintenance of national officers and the supposed honoring of a few students whose ego is inflated by the newly acquired fraternity key sufficient to warrant their purchase of a chain on which to display the "mark of distinction" but whose enthusiasm wanes with the new acquisition. But not so with the youngest member of the honorary fraternity group on the Normal campus.

The members of Demeter, national agricultural fraternity, although not displaying engraved symbols of their rank, are at least letting the people of Louisiana know that an honorary fraternity can be more than a mysterious nonentity hiding behind a group of Greek hieroglyphics. The group comprising this agricultural fraternity are not content to meet every so often merely to be meeting but are sponsoring and engaging in programs for the dissemination of knowledge and information valuable to those engaged in the oldest and one of the most important industries in the world. They have not been satisfied with thinking about what they might be doing but are in actuality going out and "doing" as is evidenced by the program given by this group last night at Pollock and by previous programs of this nature.

The worth of their work has not only been indicated by the appreciation of their immediate audiences but also has been shown by their standing in the national group which elected three of them to important executive posts.

Demeter is to be congratulated on the work she is doing for agriculture, directly, and for the example she is setting for other fraternities, indirectly.

SOME OF THE REASONS FOR CONTRIBUTING TO THE RED CROSS FUND FOR FLOOD SUFFERERS

Flood News At A Glance

Homeless—Approximately 750,000.

Dead—At least 130 in 11 states. Fatalities included: Kentucky 20, Arkansas 12, Ohio 11, Missouri 11, West Virginia 9, Tennessee 9, Indiana 6, Illinois 3, Mississippi 1, Pennsylvania 1, South Carolina 1. Kentucky's total included 12 prisoners shot in riot.

Destruction—Estimated at \$7,000,000 in Cincinnati alone, with losses in other flood centers running into many millions.

Prospects—Experts predict the Ohio river, swollen to unprecedented proportions along most of its 980-mile length, will remain abnormally high for 12 days.

Weather—Freezing and thousands of homes without heat.

Relief—Red Cross allots \$1,000,000 and seeks \$4,000,000 more from nation to relieve flood sufferers. President Roosevelt ordered government agencies, including the army, navy, Coast Guard, health service, WPA and CCC, to lend all possible aid.

Health—Exposure and tainted water resulted in widespread illness. Many pneumonia and influenza cases reported. Precautions taken against typhoid, smallpox, diphtheria.

GREEK NOTES

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Pi Kappa Sigma announces the marriage of Miss Eileen Latham of Mansfield and Mr. Ross Kearney of New Roads Saturday, Jan. 16, 1937 at New Roads, La. They are now at home in New Roads.

It is with great pleasure that Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma learns of a new novel "The Rolling Year" from the pen of Agnes Eligh Turnbull, an alumnae of Zeta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma.

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Theta Sigma Upsilon.....	2.87
Pi Kappa Sigma.....	2.80
Sigma Sigma Sigma.....	2.75
Alpha Sigma Alpha.....	2.72
Delta Sigma Epsilon.....	2.56

Phi Kappa Nu Initiations On Friday Night

Traditional initiation ceremonies of the Phi Kappa Nu fraternity will be held tomorrow night, it was announced this morning by Harold Smolinski, president of the local group.

Formal and informal initiation activities will be carried on starting early in the evening and continuing until late at night.

Approximately twelve pledges will go through the ceremonies at this time, although all active members will play an integral part in the activities.

Fine Arts Club Held Carnival Ball Saturday

Many Entertainment Features Are Given During Course Of Dance

The Fine Arts Club of the Louisiana State Normal college held its second annual costume ball in the women's gymnasium, decorated in carnival colors, on Saturday evening, December 23.

Eleanor Hughes reigned as queen of the ball. Her king was E. A. Lee, Jr. Jean Johnson, escorted by Bill Doshier, held the position of maid of honor. Other maids and knights in the court were Mary Ida Aycock and J. R. Sherman; Velma Caston and Walter Ledet; Bobby Montgomery and James Merritt; Thelma Hickman and Allen Lee; Annie Laurie Poe and Rayford McLean; Jo Jo Tucker and Marvin Wyatt; and Jane McCardell and W. O. Jackson. Several other younger children of Natchitoches formed the other attendants in the royal party.

Mr. R. L. Ropp, master of ceremonies, announced the arrival of the queen and the royal party. This group followed by the faculty, and Fine Arts Club members with their escorts formed the grand march.

A special dance for the court was a "no-break" by the Fine Arts Club, faculty members and special invited guests.

At frequent intervals during dance various numbers were contributed, all of which added to the gaiety of the evening's ball.

Miss Myrtis Sexton, one of the college's popular singers, sang in her own inimitable way, "Mood Indigo" and "Sing Baby Sing."

Frances Rae Alexander, appropriately costumed to fit her number gave a Russian dance. This was followed by a tap dance capably done by Marjorie Haworth. Another dance which added greatly to the program was a routine tap dance in which Elizabeth Rusca did a solo number.

Something different in the line of dancing was a Spanish dance done by Lynn Cook and Margaret Cappel.

Mr. Ropp then introduced Marguerite Hanley, president of the Fine Arts Club, who presented a prize to Frances Rae Alexander for having the most attractive and typical costume.

Refreshments consisting of coffee, cold drinks, and sandwiches were served.

The Listening Post

We hear that it might pay some of the boys to go down to the Coushatta bus—at least that's what Sam Mayeaux and Randall Keator say. They seem to have a particular reason for saying this in the form of a tall brunette with short hair. It wouldn't be a girl would it?

Fred Fulton is quite popular these days, at least that's what we were told.

We hear that Pete Pace doesn't seem to be missing Dimples Cook so very much. We wonder why???

The Grant Parish bus seems quite a bit livelier since "Preacher" Pollard has begun commuting.

Speaking of the Grant Parish bus, what attraction does it hold for the Pharris twins, Libby Scarborough, and Katie Muse?

We hear that Theresa Cobb and Imon Knippers are still "that way" about each other. Maybe he likes bangs!!!

It's quite a contest to see who can laugh the loudest and longest—Fred McClain or James Embry. Well, take a tip from us and don't listen to them, or you'll be in the race too!!

We hear that "Doc" Jordan is as usual having some difficulty in deciding who he wants to squire!

Who is the little fellow with the mustache that rides the Coushatta bus? Can't some one make him say something?

We hear that one little boy says that just one little girl can keep an entire bus load from attending a ball game. Maybe you can put that down as another female mystery!!

We wonder why Mr. Foster insists on calling Alice Smith, "Sweet Alice in Wonderland?" Could it be that he once read Lewis Carroll's book???

We hear that Luther Sanson is about to take up hunting as an excellent side-line to his school activities.

We hear that there is a request out asking that everyone please refrain from parking where it says "High School Bus Only." That will save a lot of time, effort, and energy on the part of the driver of that bus!

It seems that all bus students are afraid to awaken Dick Cole when he goes to sleep on the bus, but not so a certain club student.

We hear that certain bus student would like to contribute to this column. Go ahead we don't mind. Just leave your contribution on the Grant Parish bus.

Birthday Ball For President To Be Saturday

The annual "Birthday Ball for the President", proceeds from which go toward the eradication of infantile paralysis, will be held at the Elks Club Saturday night, January 30 it was announced this week by the Natchitoches Committee.

Seventy percent of the money received will be used in Natchitoches, while thirty percent will be sent to the Warm Springs, Georgia Foundation for the fight against paralysis.

Local Debate Team To Meet St. Edwards Here

Local speakers will debate against a team of men from St. Edwards University of Austin, Texas in a contest to be held on the campus February 25, it was announced today by R. L. Ropp, debate coach.

The Normal college team will take the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved, that Congress should be empowered to fix minimum wages and maximum hours for industry."

"All students and faculty members who are interested are invited to attend the forensic contest," stated Mr. Ropp. This will mark the first inter-collegiate debate to be held on the campus this year.

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

Another dance gone by! What an excellent time for gossip. However, your poor old "dirt digger upper" seems to be having a struggle with old man mentality trying to recall some of the trivial dance incidents which would be enjoyed by all of you who devour so enthusiastically the low down on all your friends.

Of course something rather different was seen in the pairing of Sam Aaron and Lynda Lee Renfroe! A while back we said he liked to dance with red heads and date brunettes, but nevertheless little "Rosie" and Sam stepped out Sunday night.

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FLASH!!! We've heard Rayford McLean sent those "sweet nothings" he usually whispers to Annie Laurie! Of course, candy, magazines, and sweet little notes are always appreciated when one is in the infirmary. Isn't that correct Annie Laurie? Rayford rates "ace high" (so we think). Did you notice that he escorted her in the royal court? Speaking of note writing while in the infirmary, what dark-haired boy sent his message of love, "with the pen" to Anna Belle Guillory?

"Flu" also brings to mind Kerwin Donaldson and our dear little friend "Piccolo"! Boys, we're mighty glad to see you up and out again!!!

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DEFINITION! (A.C.P.)

"A snap course is one in which the professor does not check the roll, make assignments, give failing grades, and which is non-existent."

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Strange as it may seem Gilson has apparently deserted all the little college freshmen and now seems to be nursing the love of a little high school girl.

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SOMETHING NEW!!!!

What's this we hear about Fred Berkowitz? Who does he think he is, Robert Taylor? It's a fact that he's collecting autographed pictures of outstanding girls on the campus and even as much as handing his own "self-signed" pictures to his favorite lady friends! Dorothy Aden is the proud possessor of a photo!

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Lo! Opportunity knocks but once! Who does this slogan fit? There's certainly one fair damsel on the campus who doesn't realize the great opportunity available.

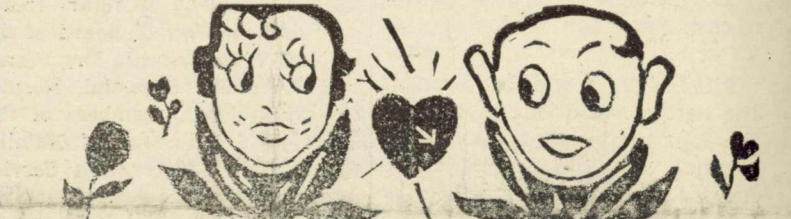
Bobby Montgomery seems to have a new flame and according to various sources of information, it's the basketball referee! So that's why you never miss a game, is it Bobby?

Speaking of new flames, let's not forget John Norris! More power to Johnny and she's a cute girl, too! What about the little girl friend in Waco, though?

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By the way, who is this tall dark handsome man Jean Johnson so proudly chose as her gallant knight to be in the court for the Fine Arts Carnival Ball? Cute pair!!! Is this a new campus romance budding?

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CONGRATULATIONS!

These greetings go to W. O. Jackson who seems to have such excellent taste in choosing a girl friend! Everyone will agree that Jane McCardell is the top!

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JUST THE USUAL THING:

'Tis only an every day occurrence to see R. G. Pyle and Eleanor Williams sitting in Social Hall holding hands!

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CARNATIONS.

These go to the campus jazz band for playing such good music for the Fine Arts Ball.

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LOST!

This adjective could readily be applied to Steve Harmon! He lost his best girl a week or so ago because she was ill and had to go home! Maybe she'll soon return Steve!

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

If anyone wants to get married, just try going with Pernick! He says that he never can hold a girl. Every time he gets one she always runs off and gets married.

Have you heard about the pretty little girl that's coming down here to go to school? Imagine all the way from New York! Boys, investigate the matter, it's well worth your time.

AN ATTRACTIVE PAIR!!!!

One of the campus' most attractive pair is Allen Lee and Thelma Hickman! He's tall dark and handsome and she's a campus beauty!

New Library Is Accepted At La. State Normal

The new Governor Richard W. Leche library building and an addition to Warren Easton Hall on the Louisiana State Normal college campus here were accepted by the building committee of the State Board of Education last week. The new library was completed during the holiday period when books and periodicals were placed on the stacks ready for use.

Those present at the inspection of the buildings included A. J. Gelpi, chairman, of New Orleans, W. A. Montgomery of Lafayette, and H. H. Holloway of Amite, members of the State Board of Education; Sydney Kaffie, C. L. Krieger and E. A. Lee of Natchitoches, members of the State Normal college building committee; Leon C. Weiss and P. F. Chatelain, architects, of New Orleans; and Summa Caldwell and M. E. Hart, contractors, of New Orleans.

In a resolution passed at the meeting here last week, President Albert A. Fredericks and the local executive committee of the State Teachers' college were authorized to lease for a period of 99 years to the Natchitoches parish school board a 10-acre plot of ground on the State Normal college campus,

Demon Debaters Win 15 Contests; Two In Finals

Winning fifteen debates from leading schools in the South and going into the finals in two contests made the trip to Baylor University in Waco, Texas a successful one for the Demon debate squad. The Normal was represented by twelve speakers, who participated in debating, poetry reading, extempore speaking, and oratory.

The Normal squad met and defeated such teams as Texas A. & M., Southern Methodist University, and Altes Junior College. The latter Junior college, winner of the Chickasha tournament, and also of the tournament at Waco was stopped in one of its debate rounds when it met the Normal's Junior college team of Mary Bell White and Corinne Cook.

Laverne Whitener reached the finals in poetry reading with her selection, "The Man With the Hoe," by Edwin Markham, while Al Rodriguez spoke in the finals of the Extempore speaking contest.

To the next tournament which (Continued on Last Page)

to be used as a permanent site for the new high school and trades school to be erected here this year.

CELTICS TO PLAY HERE FEBRUARY 13

Demons Defeat Miss Cagers In Close Contest

Led by the sharp shooting of Wyatt, the Demons kept abreast with the leading S.I.A.A. teams when they defeated Mississippi College of Clinton, 42-40, by overcoming an eight point lead in the last two and half minutes of play. The game was played in the Normal gymnasium last Tuesday night and was the Demons' fourth win in five contests against S.I.A.A. opponents.

After leading throughout the first half and the greater part of the second period, the Demons found themselves trailing 40-34 with only 2½ minutes remaining to be played. At this time, Loftin and Elkins, returned to the game. Paced by Wyatt the Demons tied the score in the next two minutes, and with only 30 seconds before the end of the game, Tullos cinched the cage contest, with a shot from the side.

At the close of the first half the Normal quintet led 27-23, having been in the front since the first few minutes of play. During the initial period, the Mississippi College five was never more than five points behind. Wyatt led the Demons' attack in this period with 12 points.

With only 2½ minutes left in the contest the Mississippians were in the lead by a six point margin. At this stage of the game, Wyatt sank a long field goal from near center, and after Loftin sank a "putt" shot from the side lines, Wyatt counted again with a crisp shot to knot the score. A few seconds later Tullos cinched the game with a two-pointer from the sidelines.

Tullos, with thirteen points, shared scoring honors with Wyatt who sank sixteen points, to gain high scoring honors for the night. Perkins continued to display his fine guarding and excellent floor work.

CAGERS DEFEAT PINEVILLE CATS IN LOCAL GAME

Wyatt Is High-Point Man With 18; Demons Not Threatened After Half

After a successful invasion of Mississippi, the Normal college Demons returned home to defeat the Louisiana College Wildcats, 34-27, in the first conference tilt on home territory here Saturday, January 16.

With 18 of the 34 points to his credit, Wyatt continued his sharp-shooting for high scoring honors of the game. Crowell led for the visitors with 16 points.

The Cats took the lead early in the game and kept it for the first ten minutes at which time field goals by Elkins and Wyatt put the Demons ahead, 11-9. At half-time, the Purple and White cagers led, 17-15. Close guarding by both teams featured the first half.

Immediately following the rest period, Loftin sank two field goals in less than a minute giving the Demons a six point lead. From this time on, the Normal cagers were never threatened. In the last

TIP OFFS

It seems as though the sophomores mean to let the student body know that they are in school. That is as far as athletics are concerned. In football the past season, the playing of the sophomores was the outstanding feature of the Demon grid eleven. Now, in basketball the sophomores are making their bid to repeat this accomplishment. Of the 12 men on the cage squad, six are sophomores. Two of these, Perkins and Elkins are regular starters at the guard positions. Linzay and Colquette are reserve forwards; Burgess, understudy to Tullos at the center position; and Skinner, substitute guard, are the other sophomores on the squad.

The only seniors on the basketball squad are Wyatt, forward and Tullos who has starred at the center position for the past two years. Elmo is the second of the Tullos family to star here at Normal on the hardwood. At the time that Elmo matriculated in school as a freshman, his brother Pete was starring at the center post. Wyatt has been a regular forward on the Demon basketball teams since his sophomore year. In the games played this year Wyatt has scored eighty-one points.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE (Home Games)

February 3—Southwestern L. I.
February 10—Stephen F. Austin
February 12—Mississippi Teachers
February 13—Celtics
February 17—Loyola University
February 20—Centenary College.
February 27—Louisiana Tech.

Normal Quintet Plays La. Tech Saturday Night

Local basketballers will meet Louisiana Polytechnic Institute in the first of a two games series Saturday night at Ruston.

The game is expected to be one of the most difficult hurdles that the Demons have had this season as the Ruston quint was defeated by the L. S. U. Tigers last week by one point in the closing seconds of the game on the Tigers' court.

Last year the Demons defeated the Bulldogs in both games played.

Bad Weather Slows Yearbook

All student photographs for the 1937 Potpourri have been completed except those for the athletic section and a few organizations, Miss Dorothy Aden, editor, stated yesterday.

Unfavorable weather has delayed progress on the book.

half Normal, aided by Perkins' guarding, was able to hold the Cats to 12 points. Crowell, Wildcat sharp-shooter, was held to three points, all foul shots.

Line-ups:

Normal — Loftin, forward; Wyatt, forward; Tullos, center; Perkins, guard; Elkins, guard.

Louisiana College—Crowell, forward; Baron, forward; LeDoux, guard; Lee, guard.

High School To Sponsor Cage Tourney Sat.

Thirty-Two Basketball Teams Enter One-Day Meet In Local Gyms This Week

Thirty-two crack boys' basketball teams from 13 parishes in this section of the state have entered the first annual invitation basketball tournament sponsored by the Natchitoches high school here Saturday, it was announced today by M. T. Cheves, head coach at the local high school and chairman of the tourney. The meet will be staged in the gymnasiums on the State Normal college campus with the first bracket scheduled to begin at 9 a. m.

Following are the schools entered in the tournament: Calvin, Campti, Pitkin, Tioga, Atlanta, Goldonna, Urama, Selma, Grand Bayou, Readhimer, Kisatchie, Martin, Montgomery, Greenwood, DeRidder, Fair Park, Saline, Marthaville, Gaars Mill, Fairview-Alpha, Provencal, Mansfield, Cypress, Ajax, Many, Longstreet, Lafarge, Coushatta, Good Pine, Pickering, Flora and Natchitoches.

Both the winner of the meet and the runner-up will be presented trophies, Cheves stated today. Gold basketballs will be awarded members of the winning squad.

A special feature of the tourney will be the awarding of gold basketballs to individual winners in the following events: highest scorer in any one game, highest scorer of the day, best sportsman selected by the officials, player making the most spectacular shot, and the best free shot artist.

Drawings for the various frames will be made Wednesday under the direction of Coach H. Lee Prather, veteran mentor at the State Teachers' college here and published in the state press Friday.

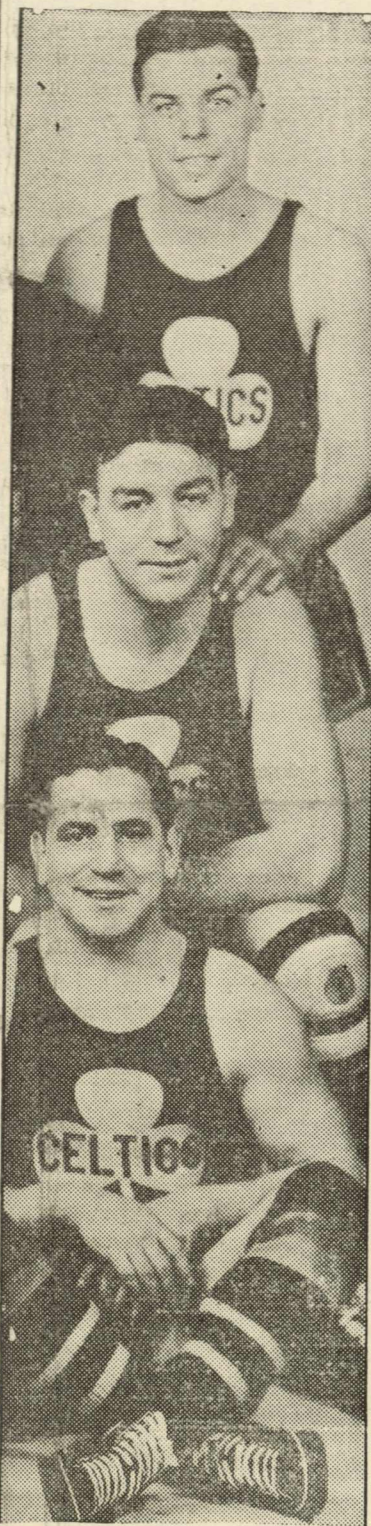
IMPS WIN ONE AND LOSE ONE IN OPENERS

The Normal Imps launched their basketball season January 20 with a 34-18 victory over the Pickering high school. The following evening the Imps met the Castor high school team and lost 33-28.

In their debut game as Normal basketballers, the freshmen displayed good teamwork featured by hard, accurate passing. Most of the goals made in this contest were crisp shots, made possible by excellent floor work on the part of Perkins and Cobb.

In the game Thursday against the Castor high quintet, the Imps were not able to reach the form displayed in their first game. The scrapping Castor cagers, led by Jones, forward, looped goals from all positions and angles of the court, and forging ahead in the last quarter, the Castor boys were not to be denied victory and protected their lead the remainder of the game.

Three Aces



Pictured above are three members of the Celtics who will be here Saturday, Feb. 13. Top to bottom, Paul Birch, Pat Herlihy, and Davey Banks.

WORLD FAMOUS SHAMROCKS TO PLAY NORMAL CAGERS IN EXHIBITION GAME TO BE HELD IN MEN'S GYMNASIUM HERE

"Razzle-dazzle" Type of Play Will be Used By Celtics to Thrill Crowds in the Feature Basketball Game of Coming Week

The world's most famous and oldest basketball team, the Original New York Celtics, many times winner of the now abandoned National Professional league, will play the local players in the Normal gymnasium Saturday night, Feb. 13, at 8 o'clock, according to a statement released today by Coach H. L. Prather.

Admission to the game will be 25c to students and 40c to townspeople for the game which managers state will be

LIONS TROUNCED BY LOCAL SQUAD HERE LAST WEEK

Demon Cagers Defeat Southwestern Of Hammond 41-24; First Half Close

After getting off to a slow start, the Normal Demons finally found themselves and scored twenty-six points in the second half to trounce the Southeastern Lions of Hammond, Louisiana in the Normal gymnasium last Friday night, 41-24.

At the close of the first half the Demons led by a 15-12 score, after having trailed the south Louisiana team for the first fifteen minutes of the initial period. Field goals by Wyatt and Colquette, substitute for Elkins, pushed the Demons into the lead which they held throughout the remainder of the game. In the first period the Demons found stiff opposition in the Southeastern aggregation, who displayed good team-work and a tight defense.

Loftin, who had been ill with flu, was not able to play. Billy Parker, playing one of the guard positions, replaced Loftin in the line-up and played a good game.

packed with more thrills, spills and laughter than was evidenced a year ago when the Celtics played against the Normal All-Stars.

The Shamrocks have one of the fastest passing combinations in the country according to sports writers in every section of the nation who laud the quintet on its "razzle-dazzle" type of basketball which has won them more than forty games this season.

Two additions to the ranks of the Celtics are Paul Birch and Bob McDermott. McDermott is better known as "56-Point" having been former all-American at Long Island University where he was the main cog in the 43 straight victories of the University. So far this season, he has averaged 18 points per game.

Davey Banks, the diminutive Celtic clown, will be with the group pulling his usual tricks and hide-out plays which convulsed the spectators last year. The others in the troupe are Nat Hickey who is considered the fastest man in the game by his coach, Dutch Dehnert, who substitutes at guard or forward, and Pat Herlihy who has replaced Joe Lapchick at center.

Perkins continued his fine display of guarding and passing. Tullos, with ten points was high scorer of the game.

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"RAIN, RAIN, GO AWAY"

Mr. Lee Cook, pinch-hitting for "Uncle Jack", walked into the Current Sauce office at ten o'clock a few nights ago and, though he didn't know it, he walked straight into an interview about his new job. You see, the rain and unhealthy weather had been almost incessant during the past several weeks and had effected the best of people—from the White House in Washington, D. C. to the movie colonies in Hollywood; from the Dionne Quintuplets in Ontario to the fishermen in Houma. "Uncle Jack" was among the notables who were forced into bed by an attack of influenza, and Mr. "Cookie" Cook was elected to wear out his shoes and develop a squinting eye while making the rounds of the campus as night-watchman.

Although he is of the broad-shouldered, athletic-type, Mr. Cook created the impression of being an intellect. Formerly, he had been "general trouble shooter" during the day at Normal, fixing or trying to fix anything that happened to come apart. (Incidentally, he says that at the age of three, he had already taken apart alarm clocks and corn-cob pipes).

Being by nature a modest and conscientious man, Mr. Cook hesitated for a moment before accepting the invitation of a lone scribe to come into the publication office and make himself at home. He seemed shocked to find any one, besides himself, working at such a dreary week-day hour as ten o'clock. He had just come into Caldwell hall to check up on the light in our office. Outside was a chilling dense drizzle, but he seemed anxious—like a martyr to the cause—to keep moving and make his rounds as night watchman.

But, like many conversations, this interview started with the weather:

"Nice weather we're having, isn't it?"

"I don't see anything nice about it."

"Oh! Of course not; it's too dark."

From that point most signs of modesty were lost and a spirited conversation continued:

"Listen, youngster," quoth the watchman, "there's nothing like sitting in a warm office on a night like this." Then his chest expanded with the addition, "and a watchman's job isn't as soft as it's cracked-up to be."

Rain began to pound against the office windows before a roar of thunder had died away.

"What's the matter, don't you like your new position," inquired the disrespectful youngster.

"Of course I do," was the quick reply. "It's something like my old job, now, with all of the puddles to walk through. Whenever any water-pipes burst when I worked on the day shift, I was the one who was called to do the plumbing."

"Oh! you were pretty good during the day, weren't you? Did you ever get into any hot water?"

"Well," I reckon that was my warmest job. . . . Last night when I was cutting across the campus, walking towards the library to lock-up, I stepped into one of those ditches. I was up to my



knees in cold water."

"What's the matter with your eyes? Don't you see well?"

"Speaking of eyes; it's almost time for the curfew. I'll have to move along and see that the young folks don't congregate in front of the women's dormitories."

"Uncle Jack" told me that the students always have to be reminded that the curfew has rung."

With the tone of that parting remark fading away, the beating rain calmed down again to a softer, but incessant drizzle.

Demon Debaters

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will be held at Conway, Arkansas on the 18 and 19 of February, Mr. Ropp will take several teams. According to Mr. Ropp the only problem of a perplexing nature facing the debaters is the problem of transportation, as the bus ordinarily used has been put out of commission.

The Waco Tournament was won by Abilene Christian College by defeating Durant College of Oklahoma in the final round.

Accompanying the squad as chaperon, on the Waco trip, was Mrs. Ethel Hereford.

Speech Meet

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of the meet:

Rules for Debate

1. There shall be two separate tournaments, one for girls and one for boys.
2. A team shall be composed of two students.
3. Each school may enter two teams in each tournament.
4. If a school enters two teams in either tournament, one must be affirmative, the other negative.
5. If one team is entered in either tournament, either side may be debated.
6. Teams from the same school shall not meet.
7. The proposition shall be: Resolved: That All Electric Utilities Should Be Governmentally Owned and Operated.
8. Constructive arguments shall be limited to ten minutes for each speaker, rebuttals to five.
9. Teams shall be scored in each debate on the percentage basis of 75 to 95. If the winners in each division cannot be selected on the basis of debates won, percentages shall be used to determine the winners.
10. Any team left without an opponent in any round shall take a bye and receive a grade which shall be the average of the grades received in other debates.

Rules for Extemporaneous Speaking

1. There shall be one division for both girls and boys.
2. The general topic shall be "Current Events".
3. Each school shall be permitted to enter two contestants.
4. Speeches shall be limited to five minutes.
5. Contestants shall draw five subjects from which they shall select one to speak on. Drawings shall be made at

least one hour before the contest.

6. Contestants may use any sources of information that they desire in their preparation. Brief outline may be used in delivering the speech.
7. Contestants shall be graded upon subject matter, arrangement of material, and presentation.
8. There shall be a preliminary contest. The two highest ranking speakers in each section shall appear in a final contest.

Rules for Oratory

1. There shall be two divisions, one for girls and one for boys.
2. Each school shall be permitted to enter one contestant in each division.
3. The oration shall be original.
4. Each oration shall be between 600 and 1000 words in length. Quoted material shall not exceed twenty-five per cent.
5. Section 8 for the rules in extemporaneous speaking shall apply in oratory.

Rules for Poetry Reading

1. There shall be two divisions, one for girls and one for boys.
2. Each school shall be permitted to enter two contestants in each division.
3. Choice of material and the manner of introduction shall be left to the discretion of the contestant. The work may be memorized or read from a book or manuscript. The material may be chosen from the works of standard or modern authors. It is suggested that the poems chosen have some literary value.
4. The time limit shall be six minutes.
5. Judging shall be based upon choice and arrangement of material, presentation of thought content, presentation of emotional content, and general effectiveness in delivery.
6. Section 8 for the rules in extemporaneous speaking shall apply in poetry reading.

No Wonder We're In The Red

"...It's absolutely ridiculous! ... Something must be done about the present system of registration," said Dean Prather in a pompous tone during an administration-faculty meeting Monday in the library lecture room. . . . Then followed the relating of a little story by Mr. Prather to substantiate his exclamatory claim.

"Two weeks ago," began Mr. Prather in as puffed a gesture as he could make with his bespectacled and compact giant figure, "a teacher reported the name of a boy because of his absence from her class. It seems that this boy had been attending classes regularly—more or less. But when the teacher came to me with the name, I looked twice through the files without finding that student to be enrolled in the college."

"But he has been coming to my class all term," insisted the teacher. "I signed his card and received an enrollment slip from him on the first day of registration."

"Well, I said there's no record of his paid registration fees in the files. Evidently he didn't pay it. . . ."

"This morning, it came to pass that I caught-up with the student and discovered that he had been carrying a full load of subjects since the beginning of the school year—and had neglected to pay his fees and hand-in his enrollment cards. . . ."

"But that is only ONE example

of what is wrong. There are many others, most probably. . . . I have no plan for a change in the registration system, now, but with the present system, it is no wonder that the college is running out of red ink."

Creative Program

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letters should be addressed to the Fine Arts committee on Spring Festival, Louisiana State Normal College.

The entire festival will cover a period of two nights and one day. The festival will open with a French-Spanish costume dance covering the period of St. Denis' life.

The following morning will be given over to local garden visitations. In the afternoon the three best compositions in each division of the contest will be presented at a matinee performance on the campus. A tea will be given at five o'clock.

The second night a candle light service will be solemnized. The service will originate at the marker of the old home of St. Denis on the Normal campus and proceed through the streets to the founder's burial place under McClung's Drug store.

A Venetian night on the Louisiana State Normal Lake at the foot of the campus will close this spectacular festival.

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Thirteen High Schools Enter Contests In Second Annual Speech Meet Here Saturday

More Than 100 Prep School Students To Compete For Honors In Seven Events At College

More than 100 high school students from 13 high schools representing every section of the state will compete for honors in the second annual Speech Tournament on the campus of the State Teachers' college here Saturday, it was announced Wednesday by R. L. Ropp, director of forensics and chairman of the one-day meet. Last year 12 high schools sent 70 contestants to the tournament.

Contestants have been entered in seven events of the speech meet this year. Boys' debating is the most popular of the divisions, with 20 teams from 9 high schools scheduled to compete. Girls' debating is the runner-up in popularity, a total of 18 teams being listed for the meet.

Other divisions of the tournament have the following entries: extemporaneous speaking for both boys and girls, 9; boys' oratory, 4; girls' oratory, 4; boys' poetry girls' poetry reading, 9.

Following are the schools entering the tournament and the number of contestants listed by each: Oakdale, 2 boys' and 2 girls' debate teams; Baton Rouge, 1 boys' debate team; Lake Charles, 2 boys' and 2 girls' debate teams and 2 extemporaneous speakers; C. E. Byrd of Shreveport, 4 boys' debate teams, 2 extemporaneous speakers and 1 orator in the boys' division; Boyce, 2 boys' and 2 girls' debate teams, 1 orator in the boys' division, and one entry in both divisions of poetry reading; Haynesville, 1 boys' and 1 girls' debate team; Bolton of Alexandria, 4 boys' and 4 girls' debate teams, 1 extemporaneous speaker, one orator in each division of oratory, and 1 entry in each section of poetry reading; Ajax, 1 girls' debate team, 2 extemporaneous speakers, 1 orator (Continued On Last Page)

Normal Orator Wins \$30 Prize In Contest Here

Peace Oration In Contest Here Friday Wins Prize For Member Of Forensic Squad

In the State Peace Oratorical contest held here last Friday, John Makar, junior, won \$30 with his oration, while Dorothy Aden, senior, tied for third place, in the women's division. Other representatives in the contest were from Louisiana College, Centenary, and Southwestern.

Using his oration, NO PROFIT, NO GLORY, NO USE, Makar placed in the money. The oration, a powerful depiction of the horrors of war and how they may be overcome, struck a keynote for peace in the words: "If people can agree to the rules and practices of war is it not reasonable to believe that they can make and abide by rules for peace?" From here Makar goes on to present his plan for world peace, which is a requirement of the orations in this peace contest.

Peace Plan Discussed

The plan for peace is discussed after a description of the reasons for war, one of which is "that greedy industrialists are overly desirous to lend belligerent nation assistance."

From here the proceeds to give a plan by which all nations would agree to "sponsor a proposal for the elimination of trade with belligerent nations—trade not only in death dealing instrument but also in clothing, food, credit and all those things without which a war cannot long continue." With this as "a strong deterrent" to war Makar advocates "a national referendum" by which the people might vote for or against war. The oration reads "Let the mothers and fathers of the youth who are soon to be slaughtered on the battlefield: yes, even let those who (Continued On Last Page)

DR. GUARDIA DIES

Dr. John Edward Guardia, prominent member of the Louisiana State Normal college faculty, died February 5, 1937.

Dr. Guardia was born June 7, 1883 of John M. Guardia and Elizabeth Ann Fulford in Thibodeaux, Louisiana. He received his early education at Guion Academy in Thibodeaux. It was here that he participated in a parish-wide contest, at which time he received a scholarship to the Louisiana State Normal College. He was then fifteen years of age. He was graduated from this college in 1903. While at the Normal, he was a leader in S. A. K. literary society.

After his graduation, Dr. Guardia began teaching in Loreauville, Louisiana. Here he taught one term and the following year received a position in Thibodeaux teaching at Guion Academy. Prior to his becoming parish superintendent of St. John, he was a member of the faculty at Lusher. He was parish superintendent for a period of two years.

Normal Faculty Member

In September, 1908, Dr. Guardia became a member of the Normal college faculty. He taught in the high school and later in the college proper.

On leave of absence, Dr. Guardia attended the University of Chicago where he did work on his Bachelor of Science degree.

He returned to this college the next year and May 17, 1911 married Fannie Auvery Carter. They were the parents of one son, Charles Edward.

In the summer of 1920, he continued his work on his Bachelor's degree at the University of California. The following year he attended the University of Chicago, where in 1922 he received his Bachelor of Science degree. Here he was a member of Alpha Tau Omicron, social fraternity. It was also here at the time of his graduation that he received his Phi Beta Kappa honor.

Received Master of Science Degree

In 1928, Dr. Guardia received his Master of Science degree. It was there that the honor of becoming a member of Sigma Xi was conferred upon him. This is the highest scholarship honor a person can receive. While at the university he was also a member of Kappa Delta Pi, honorary fraternity.

In 1928, he resigned as head of the Geography Department here, to go to George Peabody College

for Teachers to pursue work on his Doctor's degree. Upon his graduation in 1932 he received the Sydney Sullivan award, for outstanding work done at this college. This is the highest award granted scholars at this college. Here he was a member of Phi Delta Kappa and Phi Gamma Nu, both honorary organizations.

His Writings

Dr. Guardia's thesis for his Master of Science degree was written on "The Rafts of Red River", while his dissertation for his degree, Doctor of Philosophy was written on "A Graphic Survey of the Economic Geography of the South in 1860."

He also wrote several articles which were published in prominent science magazines. Among those were: "Some Results of the Log Jams in Red River" for the Bulletin of the Geographical Society in July, 1933; "Historic Natchitoches, Louisiana. Its Two Century Reasons for Existence" for the Journal of Geography.

In 1928, he wrote a booklet entitled "Historic Natchitoches" which has had three editions since that time. In 1936, an enlarged copy was published.

In 1933, Dr. Guardia was married to Marjorie Thomas of Atlanta, Georgia, who prior to that time was a member of the faculty at Peabody College. Their only child was a daughter, Genevieve.

Position at the College

Dr. Guardia, in 1932, became head of the Extension department, here at the Louisiana State Normal College. In 1935 he became N. Y. A. administrator which position he held at the time of his death. At the time of his death, he was also acting head of the Geography department here.

The 1923 edition of the Potpourri, Louisiana State Normal year book, was dedicated to the man, outstanding in the minds of all who knew him. He was also an honorary life member of the Natchitoches Garden Club in 1936. This was granted for excellent services rendered. Dr. Guardia was a devoted, lifelong member of the Presbyterian church, having been treasurer for the local church since 1912.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Marjorie Thomas Guardia; two children, Charles Edward and Genevieve; and two sisters, Mrs. H. W. Ropp, Natchitoches, Louisiana, and Mrs. J. Lewis Bass of Lake Charles, Louisiana.

Carole Lombard To Be Feature In Addenda To Regular Shots In Tonight's Big Entertainment

Movies of Campus People And Faculty Members to be Shown in 400 Feet of Film; Vaudeville Show to Complete Bill

A combination of "three big features" will be the offering of the first newsreel of the new year, which will be held tonight in Caldwell auditorium at 7:00. The vaudeville show, the feature length, two-reel attraction of Carole Lombard in the Campus Vamp, and the newsreel which will portray numerous events on and about the campus, will be the three features.

Campus Vamp, an attraction starring glamorous Carole Lombard will be in technicolor and in plain film. It is the story of a college girl and the means used in

Reservations To Close Soon On Potpourri

Work on the Potpourri is continuing rapidly, according to a statement made this week by Dorothy Aden, editor. The feature sections, and those sections reserved by the college organizations and the football team, have been completed; work is being done now on the basketball section.

Miss Aden also stated positively that no reservations for the Potpourri can be made after registration day of the spring term. Any student wishing to reserve a Potpourri is urged to do so before that time.

Debaters Leave For Ark. Tourney Next Thursday

Transportation Is Problem Since School Bus Converted To Dirt Truck Recently

Although faced with the problem of transportation, R. L. Ropp intends to take six debate teams to the mid-south tournament to be held at Conway, Arkansas on the 18 and 19 of this month. This will be the third trip for the Demon debaters, and will make the fourth annual attendance at this tournament.

According to Mr. Ropp, if another auto is secured for the debate squad it will be possible to take three women's and three men's teams. Inasmuch as the school bus has been demolished the problem of transportation will prohibit the taking of six teams if the second car is not secured.

Conway Tournament

The tournament at Conway will not feature any other forensic activity but debating. The teams will take part in five inter-collegiate debates, and it will be necessary to win three out of the five to get into the finals.

After the trip to Conway the Normal squad will continue with its activity to prepare for the trip to Durant, Oklahoma on the 4 and 5 of March where it will take part in the Sanage Forensic meet. After the Durant trip, the Normal Debate Tournament on the 18-19 of March will be next in line. In the spring two teams will be taken on a tour of the southeastern states and into the Capitol at Washington.

The college debaters will meet a team from St. Edwards University of Austin, Texas.

Euthenics Club Elects Officers

Euthenics Club held its regular winter term initiation Monday night, February 1, in the dining room of Science.

The following girls were initiated: Lois Gellathy, Corinne Sills, Anise Jones, Leora McGenty, Tornette Wade, Mary Verdel, Vera Fussell, Gladys Stephens, Joy Burnham, Edith Granier, Mary Nelson, Annie Sartabamachia, and Ernestine Miller.

winning the heart of the college Romeo. Carole Lombard, a flapper type, fails to win the hero and loses him to Sally Eilers, a bespectacled school-mam type.

The picture will show the latest fashions of the day and may be a hint to the college students as to the manner of dressing. Daphne Pollard is shown as the college woman whose closest claims to wearing a college fraternity pin was wearing a safety pin.

The newsreel will feature the teachers in the home, and will show the Messrs. Alexander, Fournet, Miller, Colvin, and others in action. Alexander will be seen industriously swinging on the house swing while Fournet, ever industrious, will be shown with hatchet in hand modifying the homestead.

The other shots will include pictures of the Queen and her court of the Fine Arts dance, a candid shot of Henry Ford Glass giving last minute instruction to Denny Pierman and Wortley Flagg as they begin a hard fought tennis match. Muriel Gunther and Marjorie Lacour are seen reading letters from home or from the boy friends. In action is seen Raymond McLean escorting Annie Laurie Poe about the campus, while shots taken of Sunday church goers include many Nor-

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Nine To Receive A. B. Degree; 8 Get Certificates

Nine students will receive A. B. degrees from the Louisiana State Normal College at the close of the winter quarter, and eight will receive two-year certificates.

Candidates for A. B. degrees are: Bertha Jewel Bruner, Jackson Pierce DuBose, Thelma Alice Hickman, Mrs. Vera Ballard Hill, Mrs. Bertha Alford McClelland, Odessa Martin, W. J. Massey, Marion Augusta Reeves, and Vau-nita Wascom.

Two-Year Candidates

The candidates for two-year certificates are: Margaret Rowena Daniel, Dorothy Edwards, Gussie Katherine Juneau, Willie Mae La-Caze, Daphne McNeal, Robert Herbert Pittman, Frances Louise Reed, and Harriet Esther Robertson.

Orchesis Club Has Stunt Night

On Tuesday, February 2, the Orchesis club of Normal College presented their annual Stunt Night in the men's gymnasium.

Three cash prizes of three dollars each were awarded. First prize went to the Senior Dramatic club for their impersonations of members of the faculty. The W. A. A. received second prize for its presentation of styles of today and yesterday. Third place went to the Newman club for recitations by Herb Sayers.

"All stunts by the different organizations on the campus were unusually good", stated Mrs. Pierson, advisor of the Orchesis club, after the performance. With the funds received, the club paid the awards and for the space devoted to this organization in the 1937 Potpourri.

And They Took Away Another Load Of Dirt

The long and tedious job, is the construction of a new gridiron and track on the site of a natural "bowl" near the present football players' dormitory at the southern extremity of the Normal campus. A familiar sign near the dirt road that leads towards the bowl, bears the emblem of the W. P. A.

Today, the "bowl," where in the fall Normal will play its home football games, is a conglomeration of sod, clay, swamps, stumps, and tender white petaled flowers. Within five months, the 153 men working on two shifts are scheduled to have levelled-off more than forty thousand cubic yards of compact earth—with the use of wheelbarrows.

In some parts of the "bowl," where the ground level is too high, the earth is being shoveled into twenty-five wheelbarrows that form an endless conveyor being pushed along plank tracks. The tracks lead to a deep part of the bowl, where the earth is dumped into the spots that need filling-in. Then the wheelbarrows continue along the tracks back to the hand-shovel excavators.

From atop the bowl (on the "rim") a bird's eye (or fly's eye) view of the workers at the bottom of the bowl may be had. The plank runway forms a square along which the wheelbarrows seem to

revolve unceasingly like one gigantic wheel—or like a stream directed through a square channel into which is poured the reddish-brown earth on one side and out of which the matter is removed on the other. The stream flows in the same channel for hours or for days until one portion of the bowl is excavated to the desired depth and another portion is filled to the desired level. On one side is a line of men, each of whom contributes a shovelfull of earth to the stream of wheelbarrows. On the other side is a line of men who distribute and flatten the earth after it is dumped from the conveyers.

Location is "A Natural." Today

By looking at the bowl, even today, one may see that it is the natural and ideal situation for construction of the gridiron. The water at one end of the field suggests the appearance of a gridiron on a rainy day. Two tree stumps mark the place where goal posts are to be erected. The slopes of ground that form the bowl appear inviting as a natural grandstand; and the flowers there would make a fitting presentation for an injured player.

However, as there is a forest bordering the western rim of the bowl, a misdirected punt might send the football into the branches of a virgin pine tree.

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JOHN EDWARD GUARDIA

When Dr. Guardia met his untimely death a week ago, the State Normal College lost one of its oldest and most scholarly educators—old not in years but in his unselfish devotion and service to the school which was not only his principal sphere of endeavor but also his alma mater.

Dr. Guardia was graduated from the Normal College in 1903 and later returned to spend more than a quarter of a century in the service of the college. His work during the many years he spent here embraced his apprenticeship in the high school division of the college, principal of the training school, geography professor, director of extension, and director of NYA.

His scholarship is attested to by the fact that he was a member of virtually every honorary fraternity of note in the country including Phi Beta Kappa; many of his articles have appeared in national magazines; and his researches in the history of Natchitoches are among the most authoritative extent.

The least tangible of the qualities which will have their greatest influence in years to come are those expressed in the hearts and minds of the thousands of students who have been so fortunate as to have been guided in their work by Dr. Guardia.

HOSTS AGAIN

Saturday the Forensic club of the college will once again be hosts to a large group of high school speakers— orators, debaters and poetry readers. Almost every month some department of the college is host to a large congregation of young people in the upper grades of the high schools of this and neighboring parishes.

These constant visitors are not only potential students of the Normal College but also its most severe critics in the event that there is occasion for adverse criticism because of the conduct of college men and women. Although no manifestations of misconduct have been evidenced, it might be well for all Normalites to show more than their customary hospitality and friendliness toward these young people inasmuch as the character of a college is judged more by the nature and character of its student body than by the number and beauty of its academic buildings.

Without being "gushy", let our visitors know that we are truly happy to have them with us, that "hospitality" is the keyword of our relationships, and that breeding and culture are the manifestations of our collegiate training.

"CUTTING ASSEMBLY"

Perhaps the most flagrant abuse of our privileges that is taking place on the campus today is the "cutting" of assemblies, provided by the college authorities for the benefit of the student body. To four out of five students, the assembly bell means nothing more than suspension of classes for an hour, which they are free to spend as they wish.

Why this should be true is hard to understand. We, as a student body, have apparently not accepted our responsibilities to the extent that we should. The courtesy extended by the college to speakers by allowing them a period to address the students, is rendered almost an insult by the half-empty auditorium. If we realized that our part in welcoming visitors on the campus is of supreme importance, it is probable that we would cooperate more freely with the college in remedying this situation.

Aside from the discourtesy in the condition that exists, we should not overlook the fact that many worthwhile programs and lectures are presented in assemblies. On the principle that nothing that is free can be very entertaining, many of us take refuge in the Field House. This "dodging" is a more serious violation of our responsibilities than we think. Several years ago each member of the student body had a particular seat in the auditorium, and each seat was checked at assemblies. Any absence had to be accounted for. On complaints on the part of the students that attendance at assemblies should be optional, this practice was abandoned, and the more democratic practice now prevailing was established. The result has been a neglect of our responsibilities, which is fatal to democracy.

The small minority who regularly attend assemblies are to be commended for their cooperative attitude. It should be remembered that a great cooperation of students with the college administration and a more universal acceptance of student responsibilities and duties, is absolutely essential to the obtaining of more privileges for the students.

The Listening Post

THE MANY BUS

We are sorry to disappoint you folks but Imon Knippers and Theresa Bobb are kinfolks. Might be a good thing!!!

The Pharris Twins are being seen about quite a bit lately.

We hear that "Doc" Jordan doesn't know which girl we were talking about. Neither did we. There seem to be so many. No wonder some men are conceited!!!

THE WINFIELD BUS

Several of its members have been on the sick list, we hear. Among them was our friend Pete Face.

Who is the young man that Mable Lee Ragan has been smiling so sweetly upon????

We thought Aline Richardson had stopped riding the bus but it seems that she is spending most of her spare time down there these days.

THE COUSHATTA BUS

Oliver Ballard seems to be one of the strong silent kind that the girls all like to dream of.

We hear that the quiet little boy with the mustache answers to the name of Hunter, and that Sam Mayeaux's and Randall Keator's source of attraction was Miss Poche!!!

MARTHAVILLE BUS

Madeline McCartney was very busy aiding in the Parent-Teacher's Carnival last Friday evening.

THE GRANT PARISH BUS

Nell Duffy's noise and gay personality was sadly missed last week. She was just one of the many victims of flu.

We wonder who has started playing "dictator" on that bus. Some one's vote was very decisive. So much so that the students all got to see a ball game and all enjoyed it against their wills. We hear that it won't happen again. We now have three sets of keys to the bus.

We hear that in a class the other day Marjorie Arrington as was, was called Mrs. Hough. Her next neighbor punched her to remind her that she was Mrs. Hough. So Marjorie looked blank, then asked, "Do you mean Miss Arrington?" And we always heard that it was school teachers who were absent-minded!!!!

If you like dogs, be sure to ask Roberta Ann Morgan about hers?

We hear that some people just can't read. A sign has been posted which reads, "No parking from here to the corner except for busses." Yet invariably two or more cars park there!!!

College To Sponsor P-T. A. Short Course

Preliminary plans were formulated here Wednesday for the holding of a leadership short course and Parent-Teacher institute on the campus of the Louisiana State Normal college from July 12 to 16. The institute will be held under the direction of the State Teachers' college extension division in cooperation with the Louisiana Parent-Teacher association.

Mrs. C. E. Roe, national instructor and field secretary of the National Congress of Parent-Teacher, will be the chief instructor and field secretary of the National Congress of Parent-Teachers, will be the chief instructor during the 5-day short course, the theme of which will be "Sharing Responsibility in Education."

Members of the planning and program committee of the Louisiana Parent-Teacher association who will have general charge of the short course are Mrs. Albert L. Smith, president, Winnfield; Miss Myrtle Rodgers, state chairman of motion pictures.

Plans Progressing For Spring Festival

Plans for the first annual Spring Festival, sponsoring original one-act plays, poetry, music, and art, are rapidly being made.

Entries for the various contests are now being made. All entries must be in the hands of the committee for the Spring Festival not later than February 20.

Cash Awards

Cash awards in each of the phases of the contest will be made for the persons having the best composition in the field chosen.

No definite date has been set for this spectacular event, but it is now being planned to be held in the early spring.

Lesche Sponsors Drama Contest Again This Year

All Interested In Writing One-Act Plays Urged To See Miss Wood

According to an announcement made this week, the Lesche Club will again sponsor the Lesche one-act play contest. A prize of ten dollars will be awarded the person having the best play in literary value and in presentation.

Contestants are limited to under-graduates regularly enrolled in the college. Those who plan to participate are urged to see Miss Annette Wood, adviser on Lesche plays, for advice before writing their composition. The subject must be drawn from Louisiana history, folklore, legend, customs, or present day situations. The play must be typewritten and submitted to Miss Leora Blair or Miss Annette Wood before March 4, 1937. It must be written in one-act but may have more than one scene.

Plays Property of Lesche

All plays become the property of Lesche to be published in the future if the club so desires. However, it may be entered in other contests provided a reasonable length of time has lapsed since its last production.

Each play chosen will be presented by the author. The date for the production of such plays will be announced at a later date.

Criticism of Library Policies Answered

Ever since the opening of the new library building, the Current Sauce has been receiving both praise for the new building and adverse criticism for some of the library conditions. In order to be fair to both sides in the question, the Current Sauce prints here the criticisms that have been made and the explanations set forth by library authorities.

One of the most prevalent "kicks" dealt with "Why don't we have books put into the browsing room as promised", the answer to which is found in the fact that the library staff is working as hard as possible to complete the necessary work incident to selection and repair of books to be placed on the shelves.

"Why are so many books kept under lock and key?" ask others. The answer given by Miss Russell is that these are new books put on display so the students and faculty members may become acquainted with the titles in stock before being placed in the stacks. These books may be taken out after the first two weeks.

"Why does it take new books so long to put out on the shelves?"

New books are generally set out as soon as catalogues and as quickly as the staff can do the work.

"Why are not men and women student permitted to sit at the same table together?" Students are permitted to co-mingle until the study hour bell at 7 p. m., but are not permitted to do so after that time because "they make dates" and meet in the library for other than study purposes. The incessant talking which often goes on is disturbing to other users of the library.

"Why aren't we permitted to go into the stack rooms to select books?" The answer to that is self evident. The situation would be virtually impossible. What is more, library workers are more familiar than are others with the location of books in the stacks.

Monroe; Mrs. George P. Meade, state chairman of school education, of Gramercy; Mrs. Howard Brown, director of fourth district, Shreveport; Mrs. A. G. Alexander, third vice-president, Natchitoches; and Professor Alvin Good, chairman of social hygiene, Natchitoches.

Professor W. J. Avery, director of extension at the State Teachers' college here, will have charge of local arrangements for the institute.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Alpha Delta chapter had two alumnae as guests on the campus this past Friday, February 5, 1937. These were Misses Velma Nichols and "Wally" Wallace.

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

Possibly we haven't been as observant as we should have been this past week but it seems that things have been rather quiet. If you crave gossip, remember you must create it.

FLASH!!!

"High-Pressure" McLean—the guy who, so he said a week ago, knows how to hold his women,—is slipping badly. The sad part is that he's losing to a Handsome guy. At any rate, Rayford followed his lady love as far as the corner the other day to see if she would pay him any attention. By the time he reached there he needed an overcoat and a furnace. Maybe that'll teach you to stop that high school stuff, Rayford! Lawrence Lindsley and Roy Lewis have been dating out in town. That is Roy had planned to but she must have changed her mind, huh Roy? Did she offer an explanation for such rudeness, Roy? ... Sam Aaron (what, again?) was with Jimmie Grey a great deal last week and on one afternoon had a date with Marion Sea. ... "Fatz" Ziffler and Marilyn Normand seem to agree about many things. We wonder if that was why it took a lot of persuading on Whitfield Huson's part before he finally got to see Marilyn last Sunday night.

DATE MIX-UP!

Did you hear about the boys that came to Social Saturday night and asked for two girls from "C" Dorm? It was really some mix-up—ask anyone on the campus. ... After the embarrassing situation was straightened out Monday night, how did you enjoy your date Martha? ... Marie Cloutier and Roark form another campus combination.

Henry Ford Glass really treated his friend royally by asking them to date a couple of his friends for the dance on Friday night—one in particular. ... Does Elizabeth Rusca really enjoy taking band members riding each afternoon or does she have some definite motive? We think the latter, Liz, and wish you better luck in the future. You have an odd number to compete with though.

Marcia Durham was in her "Seventh Heaven" one night last week. What's it, Marcia, "My Old Flame"? ... Myr is Sexton and Bill Hart who were said to be inseparable are proving differently. About three weeks seems definite proof. Wouldn't you think so? Regrets!!!

We regretted to hear that Billy Baum is in a Haynesville hospital following an appendectomy. We wish you a speedy recovery, Billy!

Marjorie Gaunt and Bobbie Jones are a swell pair. ... Katherine Tatman and "Cattle King" Douglas—we think you got something there!

Sigma Tau Gamma Frat Delegates Attend Meeting

Wesley Vaughn and Richard Clanton were the elected delegates to the eighth Grand Conclave of the Sigma Tau Gamma, social, educational, and professional fraternity, when they met at the Hotel Arlington in Hot Spring, Arkansas during the Christmas vacation.

At the Conclave, the eighteen chapter delegates elected D. K. Winebrenner president of the organization, to replace Ellsworth C. Dent, former president. Mr. Winebrenner is the third man to hold this position since the organization of the Sigma Tau Gamma in 1920. Mr. Winebrenner is also a member of the Kappa Delta Pi honorary educational fraternity, of which there is a chapter on the Normal college campus.

The next of such meetings will be held at Cleveland, Ohio, but a meeting of the Grand Council of the Taus will be held the early part of next year in St. Louis, Missouri, at which time invitations to a member from each of the eighteen chapters will be extended.

Changes in Emblems

As a result of the current conclave, the Taus announce an important change in their decorations and emblems of honor. The customary purple and white color which have prevailed for the past seventeen years have not been officially changed to blue and white. The reason for the change is that the former colors are more representative of royalty than of a democratic group. The change of color here at the Normal college has more significance because of the fact that it is in conflict with the colors of a sorority on the hill, and also the colors of the college. From this date on, the pins and colors will be officially made of deep blue, thus avoiding such conflict.

Recent correspondence as an outgrowth of the meeting in Hot Springs shows that D. K. Winebrenner, national president, will be a visitor at the Normal college within the next month. The date of his visit to the local chapter is not definitely known as yet.

Treble Clef Club Entertains Last Wednesday Night

The Louisiana State Normal college presented the Treble Clef Club on Wednesday night, Feb. 10, 1937, at eight o'clock in the evening, in the auditorium of Caldwell Hall.

Included in this program was a chorus of forty-five voices, the college octette, vocal and instrumental soloists, readings, small instrumental and vocal ensembles.

Local Fraternity Entertains With Theatre Party

The members of the Lambda Zeta fraternity, local organization on the campus entertained with a theater party last Thursday night, February 4. The frat members and other invited guests assembled in the Social Hall where at seven o'clock the group left to attend the local theater.

Guest List

Those participating in the evening's entertainment were Ruth Lee and Gerald Cuoch, Virginia Pearman and Henry Ford Glass, Marguerite Hanley and Leonard Pratt, Dorothy LeGendre and Hertzog DeBlieux, Rosemary Laws and Mercier Scott, Bernice Schexneider and Paul Piazza, Kathryn Brown and Henry DeBlieux, Katherine Powell and Carl Henry, Eloise Aden and Bill James, Doris Emmons and James Tassin, Grace Williams and Paul Powell, Elizabeth Garland and Robert Gimbirt, Pauline Martin and Bill DeBlieux, Beth Reeves and Wilburn Slack, Sigma Tau Gamma representative, Ottie Mae Duncan and Sims Jackson, Phi Kappa Nu representative.

The officers of the local group are Paul Piazza, president; W. O. Jackson, vice-president; James Tassin, secretary-treasurer; Leonard Pratt and E. A. Lee, reporters.

GREEK NOTES

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

Kappa chapter of Theta Sigma Upsilon announces the birth of twins on January 27, 1937, to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Porter.

Mrs. Porter was before her marriage Alice Baden, a member of this chapter.

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

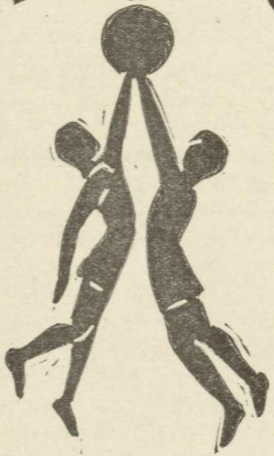
The Tri Sig alumni of Shreveport held an evening meeting at the lovely, new home of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Dickey, 103 Wilkinson street.

Miss June Cooley, of the State Normal College Training School faculty, a charter member of Alpha Zeta chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma was the honor guest. Bernice Bains, president of the Shreveport group, presided. After the business of the evening was completed, guests had a hilarious time remembering incidents of their stay at Normal. Mr. and Mrs. Dickey were voted the "Cutest couple" on the hill, one year.

After a mid-night lunch, the party ended. Those present, other than the honoree, were: Miss Bernice Bains, Mrs. Myrtle Corbett Janett, Mrs. Lucille Mertz Hendricks, Miss Hazel Martin, Miss Bill Peterson, Mrs. Mary Currie Taylor, and Mrs. Neva Knighton Dickey.

NETMEN PLAY MISSISSIPPI TEACHERS TOMORROW

TIP OFFS



If you have been a regular attendant at the basketball games this year, you have no doubt seen the dog that sits so attentively on the bench with the "other" boys. This attractive cur who shakes his head at bad decisions and barks when Normal scores (quit nudging your friend, you haven't been watching him close enough) has as its proud owner E. D. Perkins, Normal's flashy guard (the one who makes you think he's swallowed the ball.) "Z. Z." or "Ze Ze" (if I go any further I'll be "he heing"), as our hero of this discussion is commonly called, never misses a practice nor a game played at home.

Maybe the Demons ought to change their name to "Devil Dogs." "Z. Z." certainly would get first call for mascot.

Now that I've got myself into a "cur" conversation, it would be very appropriate to mention here that the 10-point shellacking the Demons gave the Bulldogs of Ruston gave them undisputable possession of the top position in the Little Four Conference.

Earlier in the column there was some mention of E. D. Perkins. Anyone that has seen the local basketballers perform this year has surely been aware of Perkins' spectacular playing. One that seldom shoots and seldom misses, Perkins' ability lies in his guarding on defense and his spectacular floor work on offense. One is hardly able to follow the deceptive pass-work that characterizes Perkins' offensive playing, he is so adept at handling the ball. If you have not seen the Demons play this year, or have not noticed Perkins' "magic" floor work, you've really missed something.

As the season has progressed, the Demons have gained in momentum and are now moving at a fast clip. As has been characteristic of past Demon quintets, this year's squad is altogether a different team from what it was earlier in the season. This has been one to the teamwork that three Demons have acquired and to the hustling of every man. If the boys continue to play in this manner, there will be very little left of a certain "gentleman" after the night of February 20.

Relay Carnival To Be Held Here Saturday, April 3

Cups Will Be Awarded To Class A And Class B Schools With Most Points

The second annual high school relay carnival will be held here on Saturday, April 3, it was announced today by Coach Harry Trupin of the State Teachers' college. A total of 10 events has been listed for the one-day prep school competition.

Both class A and B schools will be permitted to enter the meet with rules and regulations listed in the Normal college rally bulletin governing entries and eligibility of contestants in all events.

Starting at 2:00 p. m., the following events will be run off in order: shuttle basketball relay, high jump, shot put, 4 men to each team; 70-yard high hurdles, five hurdles; 440-yard relay, running broad jump, discus; 120-yard low hurdles, five hurdles, pole vault; 100-yard dash; exhibition 880-yard dash, hop, step and jump; 880-yard relay; freshman 440-yard relay; mile relay; and varsity vs. freshman relay.

Points will be scored as follows: first place 5 points; second place, 3 points; third place, 2 points; and fourth place, 1 point. Ribbon badges will be given for first, second and third places. Relay points will be allowed as follows: 10 for first, 6 for second, 4 for third, and 2 for fourth. No contestant may enter more than 5 events, 2 track, 2 field, and shuttle relay.

A cup will be awarded to the class A and class B school having the largest number of total points.

Eighteen schools entered the meet last year as follows: Cypress, Dry Prong, Many, DeRidder, Bossier City, Coushatta, Belmont, Ruston, Fair Park, Winnfield, Olla Standard, Bolton, Merryville, Martin, Provencal, Grand Bayou, Columbia, and Natchitoches.

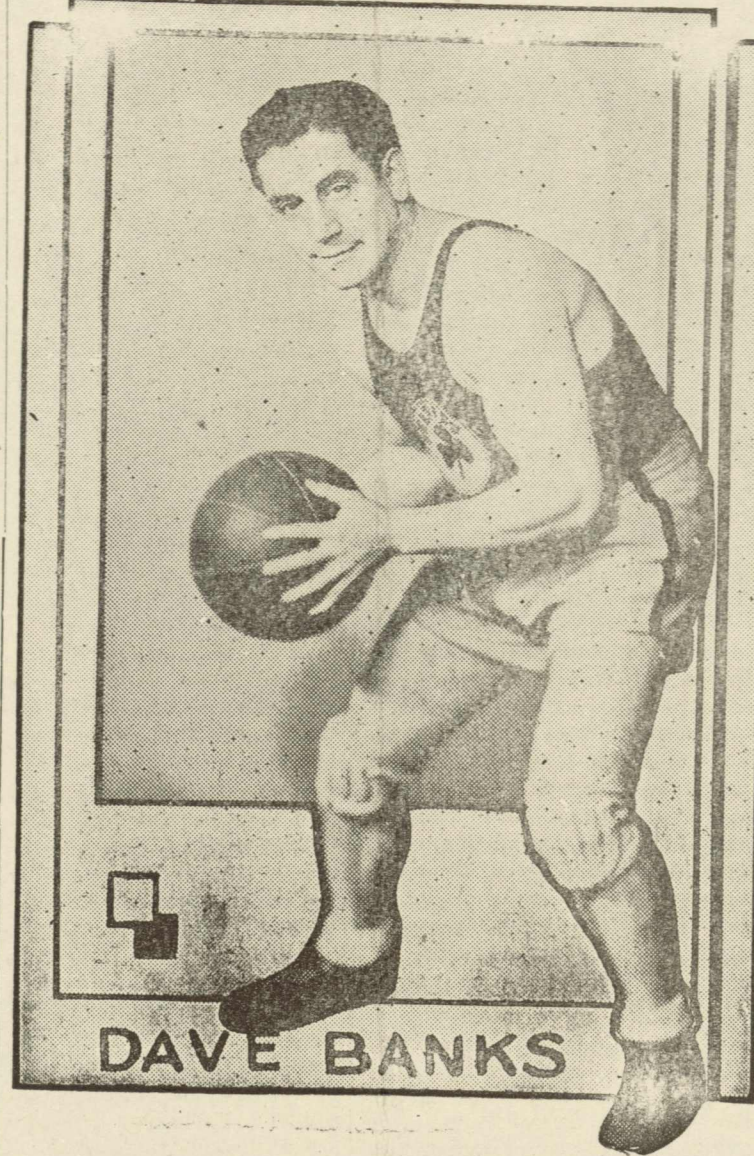
NORMAL DEFEATS LUMBERJACKS

In one of the fastest games played here at Normal this year, the Louisiana Normal Demons defeated the Stephen F. Austin Lumberjacks of Nacogdoches, 48-34, Tuesday, Feb. 9. Earlier in the season the Lumberjacks defeated the Demons 49-19 in Nacogdoches.

Playing the best ball of the season, the Demons grabbed the lead in the first few minutes of play and led the Texans throughout the game. Both teams used the fast break as their offensive threat, and throughout the contest the fans were kept in a frenzy of excitement as the ball was rushed from one end of the court to the other.

At the half, Normal led 28-19,

COMEDY ACE



Pictured here is Davey Banks, diminutive forward on the famous Celtics basketball team, who will be seen in his laugh-provoking basketball jugglery Saturday night at eight o'clock when they play the Normal college Demons in a demonstration game in the men's gymnasium of the college.

after leading the Texans in the first 10 minutes by fourteen points. Fourteen of the 28 points scored by the Demons in the first half were counted by Wyatt. Close guarding and hustling on the part of the Demons squelched the high-rating Texans' offense throughout this period.

In the second half Normal continued the same type of playing that kept the Texans trailing them in the first period. With only two minutes remaining to be played, the Lumberjacks made a feverish attempt to pull themselves from defeat by sinking long shots to bring them within seven points of the Demons. But the local cagers countered this attempt with four rapid-fire two pointers by Tullas, Wyatt, Perkins and Loftin, to put the Demons fifteen points in the lead. A free throw shot, brought the Texans their last score.

In defeating the Lumberjacks the Demons defeated what is reputed to be the best team in the South. No team this year has subdued the Texans in such a manner as the Demons did Tuesday. North Texas Teachers defeated them but not until two overtime periods had been played.

Each Demon was outstanding. They passed, shot and guarded as no Normal team has ever done in the past. Their fast breaking and accurate shooting had the Texans bewildered. The Texans' system of rapid passing and fast breaking to work the ball in position to shoot, was ineffective against the close guarding of the Demons, and whipped at their own game as the Normal cagers' fast breaking gave them crisp shot after crisp shot.

Perkins' deceptive passing and accurate shooting made him the

star of the night. He shot twice and was successful each time. In the Louisiana College game he shot once and scored that attempt. Wyatt continued to find the basket as he again led the scorers with 19 points. Tullas played his best game of the year, while Loftin and Elkins did their share of bringing the Demons their well-earned victory.

DEMONS WILL TRY TO AVENGE DEFEAT HANDED THEM IN GAME EARLIER IN SEASON

ANNUAL RALLY TO BE HERE FEB. 19 AND 20

Rally Will Be Largest In The State This Year

The annual Northwest Basketball tournament will be held at the college Friday and Saturday, February 19 and 20 in the women's and men's gymnasiums.

The two-day cage rally, which is the largest held in the state will begin at 9:30 Friday morning and continue through Saturday. The finals in both boys and girls will be played in the men's gymnasium between 4 and 6 Saturday evening.

The number of boys teams will be limited to one-third the number of boys' teams of a parish, provided that any one parish may send as many as three teams. The number of girls' teams is not limited.

Last Year's Winners

Pleasant Hill won in the finals last year over Harris. Both teams are expected to enter the rally again this year. The girls' division was won by Castor high. Harris high was run-in-up.

Dr. Stroud announced that entries from the teams are due Tuesday, February 17; and the deadline for entries to be received is Wednesday, February 18 at noon.

As a climax to the tournament, the Demons will meet the Centenary Gentlemen of Shreveport. The great rivalry that exists between these two teams makes this the outstanding feature of the rally. All contestants and coaches will be guests of the college at this game.

World Famous Celtics To Play Here Saturday Night

Tomorrow night the Demons meet the strong Mississippi Teachers of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, the only S.I.A.A. foe other than Centenary who has a victory over the Demons this year. Saturday night an all-star team from the campus will play the razzle-dazzle Celtics. Both games will begin at eight o'clock.

Earlier in the season the Demons were defeated by the Hattiesburg cagers by a five point margin. The Mississippi basketballers boast of a strong team and the Demons chances to get their eighth win against the S.I.A.A. opponents will be slim.

Saturday night fans will be given the greatest treat of their lives. The popular Celtics, professional five, will display all the tricks of the game. Banks, diminutive forward will supply the humor. Besides some veterans who have played for years with the Celtics, two recent graduates of colleges will be in the line-up Saturday night for the Celtics.

Coach Prather said that the Normal team will be composed of the varsity men and basketballers who are ineligible this year.

RECREATION

The Mixed Recreation hour sponsored every Wednesday night by the W.A.A. is now under way. It begins at 6:15—immediately after supper—and lasts until 7:00 o'clock. A great variety of games and entertainments is offered. Everyone is cordially invited to come and play. Any suggestions for games or entertainments will be appreciated.

TIME FLIES, and trains on the railroad fly with it. It is a frequent compliment for watches and clocks to be set according to the passage of the trains.

Yet the years are constantly requiring new schedules to meet the accelerated tempo of modern business. Passengers today must measure their miles by their minutes, and freight must travel at what used to be good passenger-train speed.

The Illinois Central's streamline Green Diamond, for example, makes its daily 588-mile round-trip between St. Louis and Chicago in 590 minutes, including stops. The MS-1 (Merchandise Special, a freight) reaches Memphis overnight from Chicago, after several stops, covering the 527 miles in 830 minutes.

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are about to die—cast their votes for war or peace. When they who are about to sacrifice their sons, and they who are about to sacrifice themselves have the right to decide between war and peace, the history of mankind will no longer be written in blood." The speech is ended by a plea to the people of the world to remember "That thou shalt not kill applies in war as it does in peace."

Miss Aden Uses Her Oration

Miss Aden used her oration which emphasized the need for more education and for a realization of what education means to the world. The example of a school is taken by Miss Aden and she states "think what that school-house has meant." From that point the school is shown to be the most important factor in our modern civilization.

Coaches and contestants of the visiting colleges were guests of the forensic club at a dinner in the college dining hall.

The state oratorical contests will be held at Southwestern Louisiana Institute in Lafayette on Feb. 4, next year with Professor Harry DeLaRue, chairman of the contests, in charge of the meet.

Movies of Campus

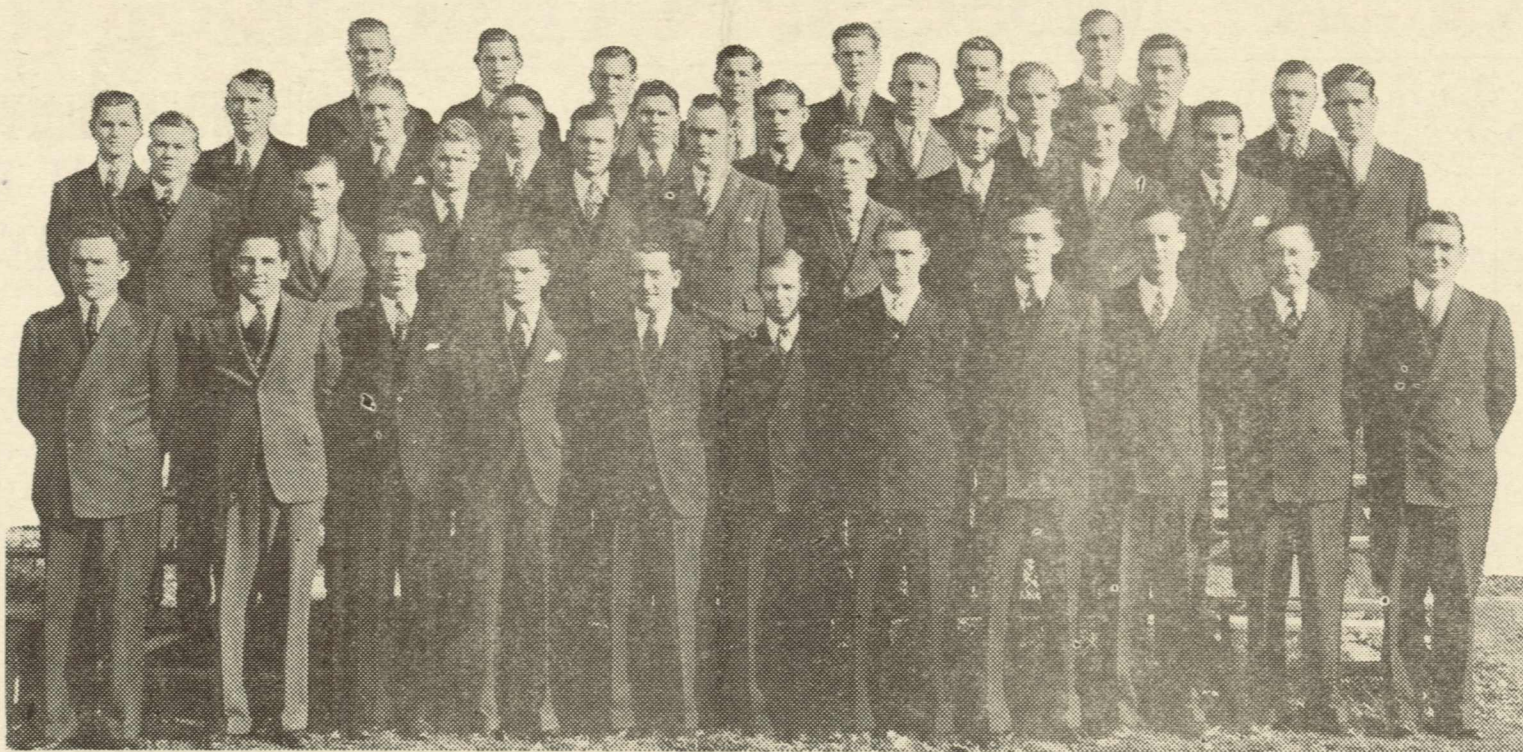
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mal students.

A water tower on the campus will be a candid shot taken from the give the newsreel fans an aerial view of the campus. Several of the buildings on the campus will be shown in views unknown to the students. Many other shots will include Coach Prather and his basketball boys in action, a shot of the romantic Grande Ecure taken from a moving auto, while the rest of the color and plain film will show students on roller skates, and in many other campus activities.

The vaudeville show as put on by Marjorie Patterson will include the reading of tender poetry by Wilborn Slack and several other

MEN'S GLEE CLUB TO GIVE TEN CONCERTS



The Men's Glee Club of the Louisiana State Normal College here, pictured above, will give concerts at ten South Louisiana high schools next week, under the direction of Professor Paul Thornton, head of the department of music at the State Teachers' college. In addition to a typical program of song numbers, the club will also present vocal and flute soloists and a brass quartet as special features. Members of the State Teachers' college Glee Club are, front row, left to right: J. E. Holly, Jonesboro; Jack Fisher, Bogalusa; Francis Herman, Shreveport; Arlon Hand, Coushatta; Albert Plauche, Plaquemine; Glen Riffin, Ruston; Don Shipp, Haughton; Melvin Bradley, Serepta; Lorane Brittain, pianist; President A. A. Fredericks; Paul Thornton, Director; second row: Jack Malone, Plain Dealing; J. L. Collum, Shreveport; Meredith Cravens, Jonesboro; Travis Gore, Kelly; Scriven Swett, Natchitoches; John Norris, Natchitoches; R. D. Young, Sikes; Herbert Sayers, Lake Charles; Tom Pinckney, Minden; Charles Dupuy, Boyce; third row: Z. T. Craft, Anacoco; Howard Smith, DeRidder; Nolan Cargile, Hope, Ark.; Oliver Jeansonne, Evergreen; Lewis Norris, Hall Summit; J. R. Sherman, Haynesville; Hugh Cutrer, Bogalusa; Champ Tyrone, Bogalusa; Paul Brown, Coushatta; Paul Powell, Natchitoches; back row: Harvell Pierce, Franklinton; W. L. Tanner, Epps; E. L. Cross, Minden; Newton Barnette, Minden; Harold Mitchell, Minden; Chas. Youngblood, DeRidder; Bill Causey, Franklinton.

football stars. Professor Alexander will add his bit to the program by reading poetry as only the Shakespearean Professor can. Emily Mae Fredericks will do some dancing for the program, while other acts of music and dancing will be featured.

Annual Speech Meet

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in the girls' division, 1 entry in the boys' division and 2 in the girls' division of poetry reading; Glenmora, one entry in extemporaneous speaking, girls' oratory, and girls' poetry reading; Ouachita Parish High School of Monroe, 1 entry in girls' poetry reading; Goldonna, 2 girls' debate teams and 1 entry in girls' poetry reading; Natchitoches, 2 boys' and 2 girls' debate teams, 1 extemporaneous speaking, 1 entry in

each division of oratory and 2 entries in each section of poetry reading; Homer, 2 boys' and 2 girls' debate teams.

The tournament will open with an assembly in Caldwell Hall auditorium at 9:45 Saturday morning. The first round of debate will be held at 10 a. m. Preliminaries in extemporaneous speaking, poetry reading and oratory will be held at 1:00 p. m. with the second and third rounds of debates scheduled for 2:00 and 3:15 o'clock, respectively. Finals in extemporaneous speaking, oratory and poetry reading will come at 4:30 p. m.

Members of the varsity debate squad, students enrolled in the Argumentation and Debate class during the current session, members of the faculty and several local citizens will judge the contests.

The visiting students and their coaches will be guests of the college at lunch in the college dining hall at 11:30 a. m.

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In Close Game

The Louisiana Normal Demons moved nearer to the S.I.A.A. tournament by their 29-27 victory over Louisiana College in Pineville, Saturday night, Feb. 6 and clinched top-ber h in the Little Four.

Louisiana College led the Demons through a great part of the game, but never by a very large margin. In the last two minutes the Demons led by a one point margin, and increased this to two points just before the end of the game when Loftin sank one from the free throw line. Loftin with 10 points was high point man for the night.

To the present date the Demons have lost only two games to S. I. A. A. opponents and if they go through the remainder of the season undefeated they are expected to get an invitation to the S.I.A.A. tournament to be held in Bowling Green, Kentucky. Mississippi Teachers, Centenary, Southwestern, and Tech are the teams in the S.I.A.A. that the Demons have yet to play.

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Edward's U. Will Debate Here Tonight

Women's Team Wins First In Tournament Last Week Held At Conway, Arkansas

Normal College Makes Best Record Of All Schools Entered In Speech Meet With Five Teams Qualifying

Competing with 65 teams from 20 colleges and universities from eight Southern and Midwestern states, the Normal debaters, as a squad, won the highest honors; while LaVerne Whitener and Dorothy Aden took first place in competition with 24 women's debate teams last week.

The tournament held at Conway, Arkansas last Friday and Saturday was the third of the season for the the Demon debaters.

Winning 7 out of 8 debates gave Dorothy Aden and LaVerne Whitener first place in the Women's division. The

women won the tournament by defeating Bethany College of Lindsborg, Kansas in the final round. Last season Miss Aden and Miss Whitener carried off top honors in the Savage Forensic Tournament held at Durant Oklahoma. For their triumph at Conway the women were awarded a silver cup.

John Makar and Al Rodriguez won individual honors by being the only team in the tournament to win five out of five in the preliminary rounds. In the sixth round of debate they were defeated in a 2-1 decision debate by Central State Teachers' College of Edmond, Oklahoma.

The Normal was the only school represented that qualified five teams to enter the final rounds. The teams were as follows: LaVerne Whitener and Dorothy Aden; John Makar and Al Rodriguez; Willie Lou Talbot and Bertina Crowder; Mary Bell White and Coriane Cook; Gardner Krieger and Pat Murphy.

According to R. L. Ropp the next tournament for the Normal squad will be at Durant, Oklahoma, the Savage Forensic Tournament, which will be held on the March 5 and 6. At Durant the Normal speakers will compete in debate, oratory, and extempore and after-dinner speaking.

The question being debated this season is Resolved: That Congress Should Be Empowered to Fix Minimum Wages and Maximum Hours for Industry.

Normal College To Sponsor Musical Festival Mar. 11-12

The Louisiana Music Education Association, an organization of music teachers and educators in the state, will sponsor, upon the invitation of the college, the first annual vocal festival. This festival will be held at the Louisiana State Normal on March 11 and 12. For the past several years the state has sponsored a band and orchestra festival which has provided for competition in these two fields of music.

This festival will consist of high school contestants in the following phases of vocal music: boys' and girls' glee clubs, mixed choruses, boys and girls soloists, and violin and piano soloists. There will be no competition in quartets because this phase of music competition is covered by the rallies.

The solo parts will be held on Thursday, March 11, in the auditorium of Caldwell Hall, while the group contests will be staged on Friday, March 12, in the boys' gymnasium. There will be three judges to hear each event who will rank the event as being excellent, superior, good, or average. Two judges for this festival have been secured. The third has not yet been named. The two selected are Ralph Squires of the Music Department of Centenary College, and Maynard Klein of the Music Department of Tulane University.

A gala concert will be given by the college music faculty here, during this two-day music festival.

Entries in the various phases of music are rapidly being filed with Paul Thornton, head of the music department at this college.

Newsreel Show Early In March To Be Presented

Harold Lloyd Will Be Chief Actor Of Special Added Attraction

The second newsreel program of the year, which will be shown in Caldwell Auditorium soon will be a triple feature of campus newsreel shots, a feature comedy, and a vaudeville show.

Campus pictures will include shots taken in the classrooms, and Field House. In technicolor will be a panoramic shot of the entire student body as they stood for a photograph in the Academic Court. This shot will afford numerous close-ups and candid pictures taken of unsuspecting students. Inside shots will show diminutive Lenora Major, as she peeks through a microscope in biology lab. Majorie Patterson will be seen as she does a bit of acting in her own inimitable manner. Elizabeth Huckaby poses with the camera-man, while a non-professional manipulates the camera. Doc Stroud is seen in a flash while he flashes into Caldwell Hall. Shots of the W. A. A. Old and new feature will be shown, while a backdoor view of the campus will also be part of the newsreel. The campus shot feature will be one of the longest yet produced and will run over 400 feet.

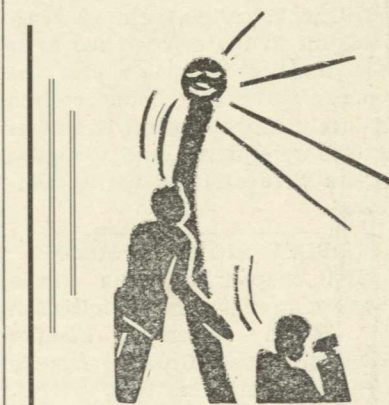
Due to the popularity of the Campus Vamp, in which Carole Lombard acted, another feature film of two reel will be rented from the Kodascope Library in Missouri. This time it will be Harold Lloyd in "Never Weaker." A typical Lloyd opus, this film will deal with Lloyd devises many means of injuring people who become patients for the doctor. All Harold does is for the love of Mildred Davis.

According to Marjorie Patterson, who is in charge of every Newsreel vaudeville program, the show this time will be "A special." It is to be a surprise program, and Miss Patterson is not announcing any of her numbers.

The last vaudeville program, included Wilborn Slack, Gerald Couch, and Sims Jackson who read bits of touching poetry. The poetry contest was won by Jackson with his rendition of I'm an Anxious Mother. Slack and Couch were tied for second, according to the applause meter.

Other acts include the dancing of Emily Mae Fredericks, several songs by Esta Mae Wade; Tom Elkins played the guitar and harmonica, and also sang. Mr. Crew and Marcia Durham put on a Negro sketch.

"... And There Was Light"



Speaking of the new network of lights throughout the campus, Normal students are inclined to agree with various literary works. Everything that has been said, pleasant and otherwise, that refers to the subject of light, cannot be taken too literally, but at least there seems to be a classical connection with the thoughts of the Normal students. Perhaps you have your own ideas about the subject.

As they were walking out of the social hall late one night this week, Leonard Pratt and Editor Marguerite Hanley said that the new system of concrete lamp-posts appears to be beautifying to the campus.

Maximum Hour Load Limited; Eighteen Hours

New Requirements Will Limit Number Of Hours Students May Schedule

Dr. C. C. Sherrod, State Teachers' College, Johnson City, Pa., and Dr. W. M. Kethly, Delta State Teachers' College, Cleveland, Miss., representatives of the American Association of Teachers Colleges, made an inspection of the Normal College last week and stated to the authorities that it will be necessary to fix the maximum load for any student at 18 term hours each quarter. Therefore, in order to conform with this recommendation, the College Curriculum Committee has approved the following maximum load for students, effective for the Spring term, 1937:

6 to 9 points.....	13 term hours
10 to 19 points.....	14 term hours
20 to 29 points.....	15 term hours
30 to 39 points.....	16 term hours
40 to 49 points.....	17 term hours
50 or more points.....	18 term hours

Physical Education is not included above, and one term hour Physical Education may be added to the load.

The above maximum load will not apply to two-year and four-year candidates for graduation and applicants for a III-D certificate during the Spring and Summer terms of this year. Therefore, students who can complete requirements for a I-A, III-A, and III-D certificate during the Spring and Summer terms, may do so under the present maximum load schedule.

The Curriculum Committee further recommends that all curricula be reduced to 201 term hours for the degree instead of the 210 hours as shown in the present catalog, thus permitting the average student (16 term hours) to graduate in 12 terms with a total of 192 academic hours, plus 9 hours of Physical Education.

Beginning with the Spring Term, the following reductions in the various curricula will be operative:

Seniors may omit 3 term hours, thus graduating with 207 hours. Juniors may omit 6 term hours, thus graduating with 204 hours. Sophomores may omit 9 term hours, thus graduating with 201 hours.

A list of subjects to be omitted from each curriculum will be published just as soon as the head of each department can make up the list of 9 hours.

The Curriculum Committee recommends that the Normal College operate on the semester plan beginning with the Fall Term, 1938.

Negative Team From Texas Will Speak Against Normal In Contest In New Library

Team Composed of Al Rodriguez And John Makar Will Uphold Affirmative Side of Question

In the first scheduled inter-collegiate audience debate of the season, a Normal college men's debate team will meet St. Edward's University debaters in the visual education room of the Leche Library tonight at 8 o'clock, under the sponsorship of the Forensic Club of the college. All students, faculty members and guests are invited to attend the contest which will be judged by three Natchitoches citizens.

St. Edward's University will take the negative side of the Pi Kappa Delta question: "Resolved, that congress

Band Leaders To Conduct Band Clinic

Starting June 2, and lasting for a period of four and a half weeks, a band clinic will be conducted at the Louisiana State Normal. Four nationally known men of the band field are to conduct the clinic for a period of one week each.

Invitations, on the recommendations of the band directors, are being sent to the outstanding high school band players of the state. This group will act as a laboratory band to show the various procedures and will be conducted by the guest conductors. While here this group will have an opportunity to earn high school credit in classes of music to be set up for them.

Each week there will be a special subject upon which the guest conductor will lecture. These subjects will include such topics as: "Marching Maneuvers," "Baton Twirling," "Music Materials for all classes," and procedures in brass, wind, wood, procession, class routine, rehearsal procedures and development of small ensembles will be taken up.

The supervisors will form a band which will play through national contest materials. Weekly concerts will be presented in the Greek theatre under the direction of these nationally known conductors.

Participants are expected from East Texas, Southern Arkansas and Western Mississippi. The college music department has endeavored to contact Mr. A. R. McAllister of Joliet, Illinois, president of the National School Band Association; Mr. Forrest Buchtel, director of Music in Amazon high school of Chicago and teacher in the Vander Cook School of Music, Chicago; Mr. Ralph Rush, an outstanding band and orchestra director of Cleveland Heights, Ohio; Mr. Carlton Stewart, Mason City, Iowa, whose high school bands gained national recognition through participation in the national contests.

Letters have been sent out by Paul Thornton, head of the college music department, and sixteen band men have already enrolled. This clinic is the largest attempt ever made in the state and the college and state are co-operating to make it a success.

Lesche Plays Must Be Submitted By Monday, March 15

On March 15 plays written for the Lesche Club award must be submitted to the committee for approval.

These one-act plays must be original, about Louisiana, directed by their authors, and presented on the date designated by the club.

Miss Wood urges those students who have already begun plays to discuss the plots with her within the next few days. There is still time for others to write plays and submit them to the committee by March 15.

should be empowered to fix minimum wages and maximum hours for industry." The affirmative side will be upheld by a Normal college team composed of Al Rodriguez and John Makar. The members of the visiting team have not been announced.

So far this season, the Rodriguez-Makar team has participated in eighteen inter-collegiate debates at tournaments in Kansas, Texas, and Arkansas, losing but six contests: four at Baylor University and one each in Kansas and Arkansas. They hold victories over teams from Oklahoma University, Union University, Phillips University, Louisiana College, Mississippi State, Texas A. and M., among others.

The visitors will be entertained by the local speakers during their visit here.

Demeter Holds Joint Meeting With Girl's Club

Last night at seven, Demeter Agricultural Fraternity and the Euthenics Club held a joint meeting in Caldwell Hall for the purpose of better co-relating the work of the organizations.

The meeting was opened by Buddy Smith, president of Demeter, who introduced the numbers on the program. Professor Nelken, sponsor of Demeter, discussed the purpose of the joint meeting, after which a duet composed of R. W. Goins and Arland Hand sang.

President Albert A. Fredericks addressed the group briefly and congratulated the group on the work it was doing. Mr. Fredericks was followed by Tom Elkins who sang and played his guitar. Collier Smith then gave a brief history of Demeter National Fraternity, after which a Home Economics representative spoke. The program concluded with another musical number.

EXAMS

Due to the requests of some of the students and faculty members, two hour examinations will be scheduled for this term. This additional time can be utilized by the members of the faculty in giving a more thorough examination and give the students more time to take it.

The examination schedule as posted is:

Friday, Feb. 5	
8:00-10:00.....	1st Monday
10:15-12:15.....	2nd Monday
1:15- 2:15.....	3rd Monday
Saturday, Feb. 6	
8:00-10:00.....	4th Monday
10:15-12:15.....	5th Monday
1:15- 3:15.....	6th Monday
Monday, Feb. 8	
8:00-10:00.....	1st Tuesday
10:15-12:15.....	2nd Tuesday
1:15- 3:15.....	3rd Tuesday
Tuesday, Feb. 9	
8:00-10:00.....	4th Tuesday
10:15-12:15.....	5th Tuesday
1:15- 3:15.....	6th Tuesday

Instructors of two hour classes on Tuesday and Thursday at sixth period may make arrangements for a one hour exam during the last recitation period.

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CONGRATULATIONS

The victory of women debaters at the Mid-South Debate Tournament held in Arkansas last week brings to light the fact that this phase of extra-curricular activity and inter-collegiate relationship has seldom received its just desserts in the minds of many college students here. That this is so is readily understandable because debates in themselves do not have the appeal of athletic competition but the success of the local debate squad in the past few years is worthy of commendation.

Since 1934, the forensic squad has won eight silver trophies in inter-collegiate debate competition to say nothing of the honors, medals and cups won by individual competitors in oratory and other phases of speech.

In 1931, the squad held eight contests; in 1932 and 1933 this number was increased to 14; in 1934 to 67 inter-collegiate contests; in 1935, the high point of 123 contests was reached; and last year the number was 97 contests. From present indications, the high mark of forensic competition will be reached this year inasmuch as more than 70 contests have already been entered this season.

The emphasis in local forensics has been on giving as many students as possible an opportunity to develop speaking ability rather than concentrating on the best speakers. More than 50 students have engaged in speech activities on an inter-collegiate basis in the past few years at the college. The training received is much more applicable to later problems after graduation than are most extra-curricular pursuits.

KEEP OFF THE GRASS

The administrative staff of the Louisiana State Normal College is sponsoring a campus beautification program. Innumerable walks have been constructed in places of advantage to the students. Why have these walks been so placed? This has been done in order that grass may also become a part of the beauty of the campus. Why make all the unnecessary paths across various corners of the college grounds when only a few more steps need be taken to prevent this unattractive marking on the campus.

With spring approaching, all the new shrubs being planted, landscaping in process the Normal Hill will reach its peak of beauty in the next few weeks, provided the student body aids in carrying out this beautification program. Each member of the student body will have to appoint himself as a committee of one, and to resolve that there shall be no more "cutting across the grass" to save a mere two or three steps.

It is only lack of forethought that causes the students to cut hurriedly across the corners. However, if one stops to consider the results of numerous students taking this same short cut countless times during one day, likely enough all such actions which go to mar the college grounds would be stopped immediately.

In order that the many visitors to the college during the Spring term may be impressed favorably with the grounds, have let them in turn be impressed likewise with the students that go to make the college. Let them not be able to look critically at the lawns and say, "The grounds are beautiful, but why the unnecessary paths across the green when so many walks are provided."

VOCAL FESTIVAL

By sponsoring the first Vocal Festival, the Louisiana State Normal College is showing the state schools that music is an indispensable part of the high school curriculum. For the first time in the history of this state's education has any step toward advancement along the vocal line of music been taken. By having a two-day vocal festival in which all state high schools may participate, this college again takes the move to the front.

The Louisiana State Normal College, the leading Teachers' Training College, in the state, will sponsor this Festival March 11 and 12.

Great praise is due this branch of the college, since it is the first part of the state's music department that has ever definitely declared that music should be included in every high school's curriculum.

If you can wiggle your ears, you have a little of the ape-man in you says Prof. H. R. Hunt of the zoology department at Michigan State College. Pre-historic man had to wiggle his ears to sharpen his sense of hearing. Muscles employed in this action are a definite inheritance from him.

The Listening Post

The Grant Parish Bus

Don't tell us if we were wrong, but didn't we see Mary Etheridge blush the other day???

Married life has caused Mrs. Lang and Mrs. Pinckley to quit school for other fields of work. Now all that we have left of our newly-weds are Mrs. Hough and Mrs. Burns. How long we shall keep them we don't know???

Stella Fletcher is mighty popular with Luther Sanson here of late!!!

We hear that Lester Beck is wearing a certain young lady's watch these days!!!

Mr. Foster initiated a new song on the bus the other day to take the place of the worn-out "We're here because we're here" . . . His was "The Old Cow crossed the road to get on the other side."

The Winnfield Bus

Robbie Wise and Dalton Martin are being seen together quite a little bit.

Corrine Sills and Pete Pace went to see The Bus Kidnapping together the other noon???

Who has James Embree been coming over to Natchitoches to see, nearly every Saturday night?

The Marthaville Bus

We hear that Ronald Woodard and Albert Bell are ladies' men of the campus.

Mary Alice Rains has been on the sick list for the past week.

Eloise McGinty is a good bet for those who like their women tall and good-looking.

Lustrine Ingram's bright red-head should attract some aspiring young gentleman!!!

The Coushatta Bus

We hear that Walter Hunter and Evelyn Norman are that way about each other.

What is this we hear about Randall Keator and Nell Duffy?

We wonder why all the boys are so crazy about Amy Marie Pourciau, better known as "Bugs."

The Many Bus

Two trips were made down to Pineville by that bus and still it graces the campus???

Boys, Lib Scarborough is still unattached!!!

Spring Festival Lasts Two Nights

The Fine Arts Club of the Louisiana State Normal college is sponsoring a Spring Festival which will last two nights and one day. It will be given along with the dedication of the new library and the spring graduation exercises. The theme of the festival will be the "Romance of the Life of St. Denis."

The following program has been proposed:

1. Period costume dance—First night. Prize awarded.
2. City and vicinity garden visitations the following morning. Prize awarded for best arranged and most beautiful garden.
3. Graduation exercises.
4. Dedication of new library by Governor Leche.
5. Matinee—presentation of three one-act plays depicting romance and life of St. Denis.
6. Tea and art exhibit in Social Hall at 4 p. m.
7. Candle light service from 7:30 to 8:30.

Closing with a Venetian night on Normal Lake.

The club would like to have many applicants for garden contests from the city and surrounding vicinity.

These applications may be merely a note to the club asking to be enrolled.

A committee from the organization will confer with some of the local residents for more detailed plans for this phase of the contest.

Phonograph Installed In Field House

Students may dance in the field house today to music played through a new electric phonograph. Yesterday, the RCA-Victor machine purchased by the college was installed in the Field House by Mr. Fournet and his crew. 150 new records will be purchased, 12 each week, at the request of the students, who are asked to hand in to the field house employees a list of songs desired, with the name of the orchestra preferred.

The new radio installed last week will be placed at the back of the recreation room in the Field House.

College Group Joins Peace Movement

George Faust, field representative for the Emergency Peace Campaign, was a three-day visitor to the Normal campus this past week. The purpose of this visit was to interest students in the National Emergency Peace movement, being sponsored by leading organizations of the nation.

The Normal group is one of a great number of college groups throughout the nation who, recognizing the danger of America drifting into a threatened European war, have joined the ranks of this campaign, a drive to keep the United States out of war.

Many distinguished citizens in the United States are sponsoring this movement while others are assisting in the drive for world peace. General Smedley Butler, Mrs. F. D. Roosevelt, Kathleen Norris, Charles P. Taft, and innumerable others are leaders in the drive.

The purposes of this campaign are:

1. To bring about such political and economic changes that are essential to a just and peaceable world order.
2. To unite all those interested in peace.
3. To acquaint peace minded people with the member organizations and peace groups.

GREEK NOTES

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Pi Kappa Sigma announces the acceptance of a bid by Johannah Peterson.

Ribbon services were held Tuesday night, February 23.

Mrs. C. P. Neidig, National President of Pi Kappa Sigma, is attending the National Dean's meeting in New Orleans.

The alumnae of Shreveport met at the home of Margaret Elston, February 20, for the purpose of organizing an alumnae club. The following officers were elected for the new organization: President, Emily McDade; Vice-President, Mrs. W. N. Hankins; Secretary, Olivette Montgomery; and Treasurer, Kay Johnson. The group also had with them the president and treasurer of the local chapter, Dottie V. Irion and Margaret Elston. The local members gave a resume of the plans they had carried out in raising money for a sorority house. It was decided that each alumnae have a benefit bridge party before the next meeting. The proceeds of these parties will be sent to the chapter at Natchitoches. The next meeting will be held Saturday, March 13, at the home of Mrs. Hankins. Those attending were: Kate Stafford Johnson, Margery Henderson, Mrs. J. C. Bryan (Marcia Gray Henderson), Mary Gonnerman, Imogene and Olivette Montgomery, Dorothy Mading, Mrs. W. N. Hankins (Pearl Weaver), Velma Parker, and Emily McDade.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma announces the initiation of Jane McCardell, LeMerle Elston, and Elizabeth Reeves.

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

An informal dinner attended by the members of Theta Sigma Upsilon was an event of Friday, Feb. 12. The Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations. After the meal a Valentine box was opened, and each member received a lovely heart. Several Valentine games were played, and attractive prizes were awarded to the winners.

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon announces the initiation of Wilma LeGendre, Eleanor Hughes, Agnes Crosby, Sammie Hill, and Catherine Roy.

TRI SIGMA NOTES

The Tri Sigma girls and Miss Statler enjoyed an informal "get together" in the Y. M. C. A. cottage, Wednesday, February 17, from 4:00 to 6:00.

The main feature of the "get together" was a round table discussion in which the actives and pledges took part. During the course of the afternoon, some of the girls made candy and served it to those present.

The afternoon, which launched the first of a series of informal "get togethers" and round table discussions that the national chapter is sponsoring, proved to be an enjoyable as well as an instructive one.

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

With spring coming from behind the corner, we find strange things happening on the Normal campus. Yvonne Godfrey has finally made a dent in the cold-heart of "Baby" Pernici. "Baby" says he's cold-hearted, but we're beginning to doubt it. Speaking of hard-hearts—"Honey gal" Cobb's heart softens a little, and we believe it sometimes melts, during dancing hours in the field house—especially when "My Gal Lulu" is around. Just who is this mysterious coed that all the boys enjoy dancing with?

The word dancing reminds us of "Red" Mitchell. It seems that his "dancing time" isn't as frequent as it was B. D. (before Daisy) Can it be that they are thinking of "Aisle-ing" away the time?

FACTS OF INTEREST

Everybody is wondering whom Martha Files is getting those "lovely" letters from. We hear he was once a student of L.S.N.C., but is now teaching in Monroe. (Incidentally—we were glad to see Woodrow Turner back on the Normal campus for a day.) Dick Dupree and Billie Baucum were also visitors during the basketball rally.

COMBINATIONS WE LIKE:

Jimmie Jackson and Roy Emmons, Annie Laurie Poe and Steve Harmon, Doris Emmons and John Renwick, Mr. and Mrs.—?

Jane McCardell and W. O. Jackson, Winifred Thomas and C. I. Crow.

Who is this tall, dark, and . . . guy that says the skating rink lacks its former rhythm? Does he think that he has rhythm? Everyone agrees that they enjoy the skating rink as well or better than they did last year.

CARNATIONS:

To the Normal boys who played basketball against the Celtics. Everyone enjoyed the game.

Well, there seems to be another new romance springing up on the Normal campus. Sarah Fryar and Payne Mahfouz have been keeping company lately. Especially at the basketball games. We hope it lasts.

SOMETHING DIFFERENT!!

To keep the budget just as it should be, Dennie Pearman refuses to allow Henry Ford to have his money. She took several dollars away from him the other day, and is now handing him out a dime-a-day allowance. She did give him forty cent for his debate trip, however.

FLASH!

Rosemary Laws really seems to be stepping out. She dates one boy in the morning, another in the afternoon, and still another at night. Can this be Normal, Rosie—tell some of the girls the secret! Maybe its those good-looking clothes she wears!!!!

PERSONAL MENTION!!

Whitefield Huson was here to see Johannah Peterson (th' past week-end!!! B. Neal, and others from Mansfield were also campus visitors Sunday afternoon.

ORCHIDS

Orchids this week go to Marjorie Patterson for the popular stage presentations that she had directed on various occasions in Caldwell auditorium. . . .

Miss Hughes sends a bouquet to the geography classes that adjusted themselves swiftly after the death of Dr. Guardia.

BALCONY SCENE AND SLEEP-TALKING

Uncle Jack, on his night-watch stroll through "no man's land" had to reprimand two girls for talking in their sleep at two a. m. Saturday night. They were on the sleeping balcony of dining hall dormitory. . . . Inside the dormitory, "Frenchy" talked in her sleep so loudly that she awakened Annabell and Bessie Guillary—who conversed with "Frenchy" for some time in an attempt to extract amusing information from her. She was talking about a well-known Normal freshman.

Seven Schools Share Honors In Speech Meet

Seven high schools from widely scattered areas in the state, shared honors in the second annual speech tournament at the Normal college February 13. A total of 104 contestants, representing 15 preparatory schools, participated in the one-day meet.

The boys' teams from the C. E. Byrd high school of Shreveport topped a list of 20 teams from nine schools to win first and second place in the boys' division of debate. A girls' debate team from Oakdale won first place in the girls' section of debating with a team of girls from Boyce taking second.

Members of the winning debate squads are Charles Knight and Bill Barton, affirmative; and John Kennedy and Andrew, negative, Byrd high school; and Della Belle Collier and Mary Evelyn Dickerson, affirmative of Oakdale; and Dorothy Cleveland and Adelaide Smith, negative of Boyce.

In the division of extemporaneous speaking, poetry reading and oratory, Bolton high school of Alexandria won first honors with four first places and one second. Ouachita parish high school of Monroe won one first, Natchitoches high school placed in three second positions and Glenmora was awarded one second.

Winners in the five divisions of the tournament in addition to debate are: Boys' oratory, Norman Dowty of Bolton, first; Lee Prather of Natchitoches, second. Girls' oratory: Janice Ginsberg of Bolton, first; Sarah Mae Gallion, second. Girls' poetry reading: Mary Louise Fudikar of Monroe, first; Britt Hammers of Glenmora, second. Boys' poetry reading: Hunter Normand, Jr., of Bolton, first; McFarland of Natchitoches, second. Extemporaneous speaking, Janice Gainsberg of Bolton, first; Norman Dowty of Bolton, second.

Cups were awarded winners of first place in both divisions of debate with certificates of award presented winners of second places, in extemporaneous speaking, poetry reading and oratory.

Feb. 22, Observed On Local Campus

Louisiana State Normal college celebrated George Washington's birthday Monday, February 22, by an assembly at 10 o'clock in the auditorium of Caldwell Hall. The stage was decorated with two American flags, the early American flag with 13 stars and the flag of today.

H. J. Colvin, member of Social Science department, presided over the meeting. The first number on the program by the Treble Cleff Club was a special song, America, from the Symphony by Ernest Blanc.

Then Mr. Colvin introduced the speaker, Dr. Abram Brill, Rabbi of the Divine Temple, Shreveport. Dr. Brill gave an inspiring talk about the patriotism of George Washington and the ideals set forth in his Farewell Address. He brought out that although they were spoken 140 years ago, the ideals expressed in that address still apply to our country today. The fine ideals of Washington, expressed in his Farewell Address are unity, obedience to the constitution, preparedness, and education.

Dr. Brill ended his interesting talk with the quotation, "No man shall have lived unless his life shall be a pattern to others."

After the talk the band played a selection from Bach. Concluding the program, the audience stood and sang the Star Spangled Banner."

Members of the varsity debate team, argumentation classes and faculty at the State Normal college served as judges of the contests. A total of 50 debates, 26 in the boys' division and 24 in the girls' section, were held during the day.

Following are the schools and the number of contestants entered in the tournament: Oakdale, 6; Baton Rouge, 2; Lake Charles, 12; C. E. Byrd of Shreveport, 11; Boyce, 10; Haynesville, 4; Bolton of Alexandria, 16; Ajax, 8; Glenmora, 3; Ouachita parish high school of Monroe, 1; Goldonna, 5; Natchitoches, 16; Homer, 6; Huston, 4; Trout-Goodpine, 1.

NORMAL DEMONS MEET TECH SATURDAY NIGHT

PLEASANT HILL, SIMPSON TAKE CAGE CROWNS

Marthaville Boys Defeated In Finals; Tourney Big Success

Bringing to a close one of the largest district high school basketball tournaments ever staged in the state and largest sponsored by the Normal college, Coach Elton Salten's Pleasant Hill high school team defeated Coach Walter Poystun's Marthaville high school in the final game, 38-8, and the Simpson girls defeated the Readhimer high, 31-23, to remain as the survivors of two days of playing in which 37 boys and 34 girls teams took part.

In defeating Marthaville, the Pleasant Hill team gained the trophy for the second straight year. Losing in the semi-final round to Pleasant Hill, Coushatta high, coached by L. C. Curry, was awarded third place by forfeit from Martin to gain third place and qualify to go to the state meet to be held in Baton Rouge on March 5 and 6.

In the girls division, Calvin high was awarded third place over Harrisonburg as they had the highest positive score.

In their jaunt through the two-day program, the Pleasant Hill boys and Simpson girls defeated five teams, of which four were met before the final round was reached. Both winners displayed consistency and superior playing in their march through the field of contestants.

Pleasant Hill gained victories over Readhimer, 40-30, and Ansley, 31-7, Friday, and Byrd, 23-14, and Coushatta, 22-11, Saturday before subduing Marthaville in the last game to the tournament. Simpson gained the final round with victories over Logansport, 22-4, and Waterproof, 27-5, Friday, and Vivian, 25-3, and Harrisonburg, 24-10, Saturday.

Gaining the quarter-final round were Many, Marthaville, Martin, Calvin, Florien, Coushatta, Pleasant Hill, and Byrd. From this group Coushatta, Marthaville, Martin and Pleasant Hill emerged survivors to enter the semi-finals. Marthaville came out on the long end of a 28-8 score to eliminate Many. Coushatta encountered little difficulty in removing Florien from their path to gain the semi-finals. The third game to be played in the quarter finals found Pleasant Hill favorites to win the tournament trophy, defeating Byrd, 23-14. Martin, the last team to enter the semi-final round of play, bettered Calvin, 35-12.

Meeting in the semi-finals of the girls' division were Readhimer, Calvin, Harrisonburg, Many and Simpson. From this group Readhimer and Simpson reached the finals. Simpson trounced Harrisonburg, 24-10, and Readhimer took the measure of Calvin, 22-15. In their first four games Simpson scored 100 points to their opponents 20. Of the 100 her team scored, G. Bennett counted 56.

The Simpson girls in the final game defeated Readhimer, 31-23. G. Bennett led her team's attack with 21 points to bring her total for the tourney competition to 77.

Beginning play in the boys' semi-finals, Pleasant Hill lived up to pre-tourney prediction by trouncing Coach Curry's Chocataws, 22-11. Presenting a defense that did not allow a field goal until a greater part of the fourth quarter had been played, the Pleasant Hill cagers won handily and were never threatened.

The other semi-final playoff between Martin and Marthaville was the feature game of the evening. Marthaville won 22-18. Through the first half of this encounter Martin kept the lead, but never by more than four points. The first half ended with Martin leading, 12-11. Marthaville took the lead about five minutes before the end of the game and was never overtaken.

The Marthaville and Pleasant Hill final encounter of the tournament found Coach Salter's Sabine parish champs clicking in the same precision that brought them through the four rounds of rally play to gain the finals. Pleasant Hill bettered the Marthaville basketballers, 38 to 8. From the outset of the game Coach Salter's rangy cagers displayed a superior team, and at the half were out in

Health Education Teacher Addresses Physical Ed. Class

Miss Fannie V. Shaw of the National Tuberculosis Association addressed students of Mrs. Kyser's personal hygiene class last week on "Preventing Tuberculosis in High Schools Today."

In her talk Miss Shaw discussed the causes, symptoms, discovery and cure of the disease. She likewise recommended the booklet "Preventing Tuberculosis" which can be had from Mrs. Flora McBride, Louisiana Tuberculosis Association of New Orleans, which Miss Shaw stated "should be had by every teacher in the state."

Calling attention to the prevalence of tuberculosis among young people of college age Miss Shaw suggested the following rules for its prevention: 1. Be an outdoor minded person; 2. Eat nourishing food; 3. Avoid late hours and too little sleep; 4. Keep in touch with the family physician; 5. Don't be misled by advertisements of cures.

Local Faculty Members Attend Teachers' Meet

President Fredericks Heads Delegation Of Fourteen To N.E.A. Session In New Orleans

Headed by President Albert A. Fredericks, fourteen members of the State Normal College faculty attended the meeting of the Department of Superintendents of the National Education Association in New Orleans this week, to give the local faculty the largest representation in the history of the college at the annual conclave of teachers.

Those attending the meeting at New Orleans this week include President Fredericks, Dr. Lauretta E. Fox, W. J. Avery, Miss Dean Varnado, L. J. Alleman, A. B. Simpson, Miss Clio Allen, Walter Purdy, Miss Inez Chaplin, Miss June Cooley, Miss Miriam Nelken, Miss Mildred Smith, Miss Sue Owens and Miss Eddy Porter.

Many Attend Methodist Meet

Students from all colleges in Louisiana attended the annual Louisiana Methodist Student Conference which was held at L. S. U. February 19, 20 and 21. The Student Conference is a fellowship of students sharing together in a search for a clearer understanding of God and His purpose; seeking to achieve a more intimate relationship with Jesus; and to discover a more effective expression of the Christian ideal in the life of each person and of each campus.

The student meetings were held at the Methodist Student Center on the L. S. U. campus. Reverend Joe Brown Love, who is director of the Methodist Student Center at L. S. U. was host to the conference. The concluding service was held at the First Methodist church in Baton Rouge.

The young people were divided into four discussion groups for the purpose of working out ideas that were suggested by the representatives from the different colleges. The groups were as follows: "Christian Ethics and Honesty", "Drinking on the Campus", "Men and Women Relations", and "Student Leaders Seminar." Students and leaders made talks on the problems.

There was a Devotional each evening and a "Friendly" afterward.

A group of thirty students from Louisiana State Normal college and the Methodist pastor, Reverend R. R. Branton attended the conference. They left Natchitoches at 11 o'clock a. m. Friday and returned Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

front, 17-4. In the second half Pleasant Hill kept increasing their lead while holding Marthaville to four points. Tyler led his team to its win with 15 points.

Summary of girls' games: quarter finals, Readhimer 13, Castor, 12; Calvin 23, Greenwood 10; Simpson 25, Vivian 9; Harrisonburg 22, Oil City 5. Semi-finals, Readhimer 22, Calvin 15; Simpson 24, Harrisonburg 10. Finals, Simpson 31, Readhimer 23.

THIRD ANNUAL SPORTS' DAY FOR GIRLS, MARCH 13

The third annual sports day for high school girls will be held here at the Louisiana State Normal State Normal college on Saturday, March 13. This college was the first in the state to institute this play day.

The aims and objectives of this special day are:

1. To create better social relationship.
2. To provide an opportunity for the development of citizenship through sportsmanship, fair play, truthfulness, and courage.
3. To provide an opportunity for the pupils to play with rather than against each other.
4. To stimulate participation in play.
5. To offer pupils a chance to participate in some of their favorite activities.
6. To stress enjoyment of the sport and development of sportsmanship.
7. To encourage the pupils to put these games into use during their leisure time.
8. To create an interest in health.
9. To introduce new games.

All state high schools are invited to participate in this sports day. Each school has the privilege of sending ten girl participants with a chaperon approved by the college.

There are no gate receipts involved, likewise each group pays for its own transportation expenses. Events of the day will begin at nine o'clock and will last through five-thirty in the evening.

Every girl should be registered by nine o'clock. She should bring a gym suit and tennis shoes.

A health queen will be chosen. She will be judged by posture, normal weight for height and age, general appearance, regular school attendance and other information brought by the entry on a health examination card.

The program for the day is as follows:

- 9:00-10:00—Registration, Assignments, Dressing (Women's Gymnasium)
- 10:00-10:30—Folk Dancing (Women's Gymnasium)
- 10:30-12:00—Games for all: Baseball, Volley Ball, Soccer, Tennis, Horseshoe Pitching (Women's Gymnasium)
- 12:30-1:00—Lunch on the green
- 1:00-1:30—Rest, Songs, Cheers, Talks.
- 1:30-2:00—Track events (Women's Athletic Field)
- 2:00-3:00—Stunts, Recreational games
- 3:00-3:30—Choosing and Crowning of Health Queen (Men's Gymnasium)
- 3:30-4:00—Stunts, Dances—Entertainment by Normal College Girls
- 4:00-4:30—Dressing.
- 4:30-5:00—Recess—Walks on Campus
- 5:00-5:30—Tea—Women's Athletic Association, Hostess (Women's Gymnasium)

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CENTENARY BEATS DEMONS LAST SAT.

Before one of the largest crowds ever to witness a basketball game in the local gymnasium, the Centenary cagers of Shreveport defeated the Normal Demons, 29-31, last Saturday night. The win by Centenary was the first registered over a Normal cage team on the local campus in three years.

Beginning as a nip and tuck contest, the game in the first half found the lead shifting from one team to the next. In the first few minutes of play the Demons went out in front by five points, but long shots by Snyder and Hooper brought the Gents abreast with the locals. After which neither team led by more than two points as the lead alternated the rest of the first period. The next period found Centenary out in front 16-14. During this first half, Tullos, center for the locals, was injured and removed from the contest.

Coming back after the rest period, Centenary immediately began to increase their lead over the Demons and countered nine points before the locals were able to score any. After building up an eleven point lead the Gents were never threatened and the remainder of the second half was spent with the Demons waging a vain attempt to pull themselves from defeat.

The large crowd that witnessed the game gave vent to several outbursts of booing and "Bronx-cheering" in criticism of the rough playing on the part of the Gents and several decisions rendered by referee Smith.

The Demons were handicapped by the loss of Tullos, who was out a great part of the game, but Skinner, who substituted for him, played a good game. Wyatt gained high scoring honors for the night with 14 points. Snyder, Centenary forward was runner-up

BASKEETERS WILL SEEK TO KEEP LITTLE FOUR SLATE CLEAN IN GAME

Tech Much Improved Since Defeat By Demons Earlier In Season; Wyatt And Tullos To Play Last Game

The Normal cagers will bring to a close Saturday night when they meet the Tech goal-shooters of Ruston in the Normal gymnasium at 8 o'clock.

This game, the second of the Demons against their up-state rivals, will find the local basketballers attempting to

Imp Basketball To Play Techmen Here at 7 Tonight

For the first time this season students will be given an opportunity to see the Imp basketball team do battle with another freshman five, when Coach Mahfouz's yearling cagemen meet the Tech Bullpups in the Normal gymnasium Thursday night.

The local first yearmen have met a number of high school basketball teams and have been defeated but once. This set-back came at the hands of the strong Castor high school players who won first place in the Central Louisiana Rally at Pineville, Saturday.

Little is known of the relative strength of the up-state cagemen, but judging from the Bullpup teams of the past, fans may be assured of a formidable representation from the up-state college.

As his starting line-up tonight, Coach Mahfouz announced that

with 10 points.

Between halves of the game President Fredericks awarded the prizes to the winners in the Northwest Basketball rally held last Friday and Saturday.

keep their record against Little Four members this season unblemished. Even if they are defeated Saturday night, Coach Prather's boys are assured of the top position in the Little Four Conference.

Earlier in the season the Demons defeated the Bulldogs at Ruston. Since this game was played, however, the Tech five have shown steady improvement. Last week they trounced Loyola who bested Normal by two points, by a wide margin.

Since their defeat to Centenary last Saturday night, the local cagers have been sent through strenuous workouts the past week by Coach Prather in order to have them ready for the Bulldogs Saturday night. McGhee, who was injured in the Loyola game is expected to be sufficiently recovered from his injury to get in the game.

Wyatt, for three years an outstanding member of Normal cage teams and Tullos, star center will be playing their last game for the Purple and White. With these two cagemen Coach Prather is expected to start Loftin, junior; Perkins and Elkins, sophomores.

STUDENTS---NOTE

Last Day on Which
RESERVATIONS
for the
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May Be Made

is
MARCH 11

Why Not Make Your
Reservations
Now?

There Was Light

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cupping the dimmer spots may now be surprised and disillusioned from the appearance of their companion under the brighter light."

That you can always find a dark spot to an advantage seems to be well known. Goethe pointed out that "Where there is much light, the shadows are deepest." Already, Normalites are adapting themselves to the new situation by turning around the benches. Some find consolation in the fact that they may be in the area illuminated solely by Kipling's *Light That Failed*.

Every eye gazed as before some brother of the sky.

—Odyssey

Facing a northern border of the campus is the home of Lillian Malone, a lively little co-ed who has been quite upset about the new line of lights being practically on her front porch. "The lights are pretty," Lillian conceded, "but I can't dance and sing or sit and swing while all of those lights are shining on me. I'll have to hang some Venetian blinds around the porch."

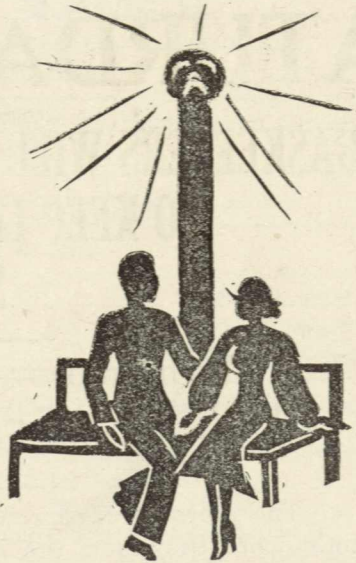
Being athletic minded, Steve Holstein and John Norris mentioned the possibilities for night football on the academic quadrangle and tennis on the regular tennis courts. It was also noticed that the campus golf course is as light at night as were some of the miniature golf courses that were in vogue several years ago.

The night football situation is inadvisable because of the thirty-foot drop at the shadows by the Warren Easton side of the quadrangle. And a night tennis tournament possibly would disturb the benches that are among the shrubbery surrounding the courts.

When Rayford McLean was approached on the subject of the new lights, he asked "What lights? I've been wrapped-up in my studies and not been able to see; but I imagine that it would make me very unhappy."

Bashful Bill Hart said "As I don't do any courting, they don't affect me; but most of the fellows in the football shack seem to be irritable because of something, lately."

Tom Pinkney complained that



the light posts get in his way on Saturday night when he staggers towards the dormitory; but preferring not to be quoted (Tom is a modest fellow), he suggested that in Robert Southey's *Curse of Kehama* there is this nice expression:

"Twas a light that made
Darkness itself appear a thing
of comfort."

But Jane Pipkin, another disciple of Goethe, stamped her foot and declared, "We need more light." The dying words of Goethe were "Mere Licht, more light."

This story could go on and on like Tennyson's brook, but it will stop here with the gratifying words from Tennyson's "In Memoriam":

God and nature met in light.

Drama Students
Present Plays

According to a recent announcement made by Miss Annetta L. Wood, head of the dramatics department, the advanced dramatic class present their plays during the week.

On Tuesday night at 6:45 in the evening Irene Gindrat presented her play. The characters are Harriet Hall, Catherine White and Thelma Wade.

On Wednesday evening Corinne Scott directed her play. Those enacting this play were Vera Mae Rae, Pauline Posey, and Martha

Prize Winning
Essay Writer
Attends Normal

The Washington Day Program held in the auditorium Monday brought to light the fact that in 1932, a high school girl from Longstreet, La., won first place in the state in the national George Washington Bicentennial National Oratorical, Essay, and Declamatory Contests with her essay, "George Washington, The Farmer at Mount Vernon."

Unknown to the majority of the student body at the Normal college, that girl is now a junior on the local campus. This article will probably be as much a surprise to her as it will be to her friends when it appears in print.

Five years ago, Mary Belle Hatcher, then in high school wrote "That we think only of George Washington as a statesman and soldier and often times forget him as a farmer is not wholly our fault. Popular history has pictured him to us in no other way." She concluded her prize winning essay with, "Washington's last days and hours were as he wished them spent, not as a general, not as a statesman, but as a farmer."

In the essay, Miss Hatcher depicts Washington as he is seldom pictured in the minds of most people.

Anthony. On this same night at 7:45 Beulah Salassi will present her play. The characters are Harold Mitchell, Melba Bernard, Clara Dobering, and Hazel McNeill.

On Friday night at 6:30 Maude Dabney, director will present her play. The characters are Mary Phillip, John Makar, Doris Emmons. On Saturday morning at nine o'clock Edna Ford will have her play, enacted. Clio Ford and Mary Beville are the characters. Marie Zuelke will, also, present her play on Saturday. The cast includes Billy Sowers and Jack Sowers.

State Teachers
Of Music Meet
Here With Others

On February 13, Mr. S. T. Burns, state supervisor of music, called together a group of approximately thirty supervisors to witness demonstrative teaching in music. This group witnessed teaching in the training school and Natchitoches high school and were guests of the college for lunch.

Miss June Cooley, first grade supervisor gave a demonstration lesson. Miss Blanche Toy presented a demonstration in the fifth grade. Mrs. Frances Phelps, of the College Music Department, conducted a class in piano.

Mr. Purdy of the Natchitoches high school presented his high school band and also boys and girls glee clubs. Mr. Gilbert Sae-tre conducted a clarinet class and under his direction a band concert was given for the entertainment of the visitors.

Normal Debaters
To Conduct Meet
At Oakdale High

For the first time in the history of Louisiana forensic activities, a college will conduct a debate tournament off its own campus. This honor will be the Normal's when the Demon debaters will journey to Oakdale high school to conduct a tournament there on Saturday. The invitation was received by Mr. Ropp, head of Forensics here. The debate squad will act as judges, chairmen, and will fill other positions necessary for the success of a debate tournament.

Also, this trip will afford the Normal debaters the opportunity to meet L.S.U. in at least one intercollegiate debate at Oakdale. It is probable that the men's team will meet L.S.U. The Demon debaters in this contest will defend the Negative of the Minimum Wage and Maximum Hours question.

Coach W. J. Dodd, of Oakdale, a former Normal debater, announced that teams from Natchi-

New Requirements
Listed By State
Normal Registrar

Four requirements for candidates for certificates to teach in the elementary grades of the public schools of the state were pointed out this week by W. S. Mitchell, registrar at the State Teachers' college here. The requirements were passed by the State Board of Education last year, Mr. Mitchell stated, and pertain definitely to standards that teachers must meet this year and in 1940.

Following are the requirements listed by Mr. Mitchell:

"On and after September 1, 1937, 45 college-session hours, of which 9 college-session hours shall be in professional courses; and of the 9 hours in professional courses 4 shall be in Practice Teaching; and all of the Practice Teaching must be either in Grades 1 through 3 or in Grades 4 through 7.

"On and after September 1, 1940, 60 college-session hours, 9 of which shall be in professional courses and 2 of the 9 shall be in Practice Teaching; and all of the Practice Teaching must be either in Grades 1 through 3 or in Grades 4 through 7.

"On and after September 1, 1937, candidates for certificates to teach in high schools shall be college graduates, as is now the case, and they shall satisfy the professional requirements governing the insurance of elementary certificates as stated above, expect that the Practice Teaching of candidates for high-school certificates shall be in the subjects in which they majored in college and which they expect to teach in high school.

"No more III-D certificates will be issued after September 1, 1937."

toches, Boyce, Bolton of Alexandria, Lake Charles, and Ruston, would participate in the tournament.

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SHOP
CITY BARBER
ON SECOND STREET

New NYA Program
To Benefit Many

Approximately fifty girls and boys of Louisiana will be benefited by the "Learning By Doing" program which is being sponsored jointly by the Louisiana State Normal College and the National Youth Administration.

The girls will have the opportunity to learn important facts about homemaking,—such as care of children, preparation, serving, and planning of foods; planning, construction, and care of clothing, the principles of canning, care of milk and butter, and various instructions in handicraft work.

The boys will be trained in the principles of pasture management, dairy management and will assist in the experimental work in animal husbandry and in poultry raising as well as in the construction of various buildings needed in the poultry department.

Girls and boys with or without grammar or high school education may work on the project and receive full advantage of the opportunities offered.

To be eligible for these opportunities youths must be between the ages of 18 and 25 years and must come from families receiving some form of relief.

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Seven Hundred Musicians Here Today

Annual Speech Tourney Here Next Friday And Saturday To Attract Many Collegians

Contestants Expected From Texas, Mississippi, Alabama, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Missouri and Kansas

The fourth annual Louisiana Speech Tournament will be held here next Friday and Saturday with an expected attendance of more than 25 colleges and universities representing nine states. The states to be represented are Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Tennessee, Texas and Missouri.

Contests will be held in oratory and extemporaneous speaking in addition to the regular debate rounds, it was announced this week by R. L. Ropp, director of the tournament. From all present indications, this will mark the largest college tournament ever held here.

Activities for the two-day meet will begin with registration in Caldwell auditorium Friday morning with the preliminary rounds in extempore and oratory shortly after. Four rounds of debate will be carried on in the afternoon. All teams winning three out of four rounds will be eligible to participate in the elimination contests Saturday morning.

At eight o'clock Friday night the speakers will be entertained at a banquet in the college dining hall at which time the winners in the preliminary round will be announced.

Elimination debates will begin Saturday morning with the finals in extempore and oratory early in the afternoon. The finals in debate will be held at seven o'clock Saturday night with awarding of trophies immediately after.

The Normal college will be represented in debate by Dorothy Aden, LaVerne Whitener, Willie Lou Talbot, Bertha Louise Crowder, Anita Baham, Corinne Cook, and Mary Bell White in the women's division; and Al Rodriguez, John Makar, Henry Ford Glass, John Norris, Pat Murphy and Gardner Krieger in the men's division.

Participants in oratory will be Henry Ford Glass, John Makar, Willie Lou Talbot and LaVerne Whitener. Contestants in extemporaneous speaking include Al Rodriguez, John Makar, Dorothy Aden and LaVerne Whitener.

Newman Club Installation Sunday Night

Seven new officers of the Newman Club will be installed at the regular meeting of the religious organization Sunday night in the Newman House at which time Father O'Brien will address the group and answer questions of doubt regarding religious dogma.

The new officers who will be installed Sunday are: Harold Smolinski, president; Bernice Schexnayder, vice-president; Zoe Sagera, corresponding secretary; Miriam Breaux, recording secretary; Evelyn Breaux, chorister; Margaret Hicks, treasurer; and Walter Ledet, reporter.

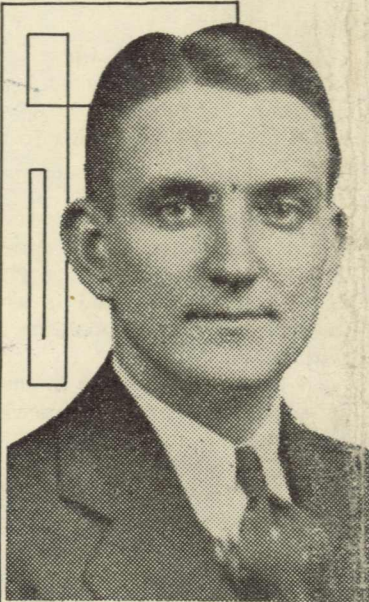
Appointees to the council will be announced at the meeting Sunday. Outgoing officers will give short addresses of farewell and welcome to the new officers who in turn will reply.

Digest Pictures Miss Louisiana In Today's Issue

In the issue of Collegiate Digest being distributed with the Current Sauce this week appears the picture of Gussye Short who will represent Louisiana in the Atlantic City "Miss America" contest this year.

Miss Short was selected to represent the state in a state wide beauty contest held at the fair last fall in Shreveport. Miss Short will leave Louisiana via railway to Chicago where she will appear with other contestants. From Chicago the group will go to Atlantic City for the finals.

Thornton Arranges Music Festival Here



Pictured here is Prof. Paul F. Thornton, head of the music department of the State Normal college who made local arrangements for the first state music festival under the auspices of the Louisiana Music Educators' Association. Mr. Thornton and the State Teachers' college are to be congratulated on having as their guests so many talented young people as are here today.

Five High Schools Share Music Honors First Day Of Meet

Five high schools shared honors in the six events staged the first day of the secondary school music festival being held on the campus of the State Normal college here Friday and today. The winners were announced late Thursday afternoon at the termination of the events in Caldwell Hall auditorium.

The C. E. Byrd high school of Shreveport won top place when two of its musicians placed first. Calvin Wheeler, violinist of the Shreveport school, was rated highly superior in his division; and Miss Frances Center, also of Byrd high school, rated first in the girls' low voice division with a rating of good.

Other first place winners in the events Thursday are Billy Meyers of Lafayette high school, excellent in boys' high voice; John Bohm-folk of Welsh, superior in boys' low voice; Paul Modish of Jennings high school, highly superior in piano; and Miss Mary Burton Mooney of Tallulah high school, superior in girls' high voice. A total of forty-eight students competed in the six divisions.

On Friday the second day of the two-day festival, eighteen glee clubs, eleven in the boys' division and seven in the girls, and ten mixed choruses will compete for high honors in the meet. The combined groups will be composed of more than seven hundred high school students from sixteen high schools representing every section

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Normal Debaters Conduct Speech Meet at Oakdale

In the first high school debate tournament ever conducted by a college, the Normal with Oakdale and Bolton high won top honors at Oakdale on February 27. The tournament was supervised by R. L. Ropp, head of forensics, with the aid of several members of the varsity debate squad.

In a contest climaxing the high school tournament an L. S. U. team, composed of Joe Trum and Russell Long, son of the late Senator Huey P. Long, lost both an audience and a 3-0 judges' decision to the Normal's debate team composed of John Makar and Al Rodriguez.

Oakdale and Bolton shared equal honors in the two major divisions of the high school contest. Bolton won first place in the boys' debate division while Oakdale won the first place in the girls' division. However, Mary Evelyn Dickerson and Milton Shapiro of Oakdale were awarded silver medals for outstanding individual performance is speaking.

Dr. Dickey of L. S. U. and his two debaters, Joe Trum and Russell Long, acted as judges along with the members of the Normal squad.

Coach W. J. Dodd, a graduate of the Normal and a former member of the debate squad, is in charge of the Oakdale debaters.

Those participating in judging from the Normal were Anita Baham, Willie Lou Talbot, Pat Murphy, John Makar and Al Rodriguez.

NAME IT! and BE THE LUCKY WINNER OF CASH!

NAME WHAT??? The new march written by Bandmaster Gilbert T. Saetre.

HOW TO WIN??? Submit a title (plus 10c in cash) for this composition!

HOW TO GO ABOUT submitting an entry? At the concert to be given in honor of the Vocal Festival visitors on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, this march will be the closing number. All students are invited to attend this fine concert. Listen carefully to the composition, as it will be explained in somewhat a detailed manner. THEN, after hearing it at that time, and one later date (to be announced soon), at which time it will be performed again, think over the number carefully. THEN, submit your title in a sealed envelope; for which you will receive in return a number. That number will go on your entry; and the winning entry will be known by number until the final announcement is made. Your name will be recorded by the number of your entry. You may submit as many entries as you desire; but remember, each entry must be accompanied by 10c.

WHAT WILL THE MONEY BE USED FOR? It will be used in two ways; one, for the prize; and two, for the Band. It is to help defray the expenses of an early state-wide concert trip by YOUR college band.

STUDENTS!!! Here is YOUR opportunity to be of material assistance to YOUR band. This fine organization is very anxious to show our high school friends over the state the value of instrumental training. And this year's band is the finest organization of its kind on Normal Hill in many years. So get behind YOUR band—and help it along the path of education.

THE CONTEST is open to all students except a member of the college band.

THE JUDGES will be Mr. R. L. Ropp, Mrs. E. L. Hereford, and Bandmaster Saetre.

THE FINAL DAY for submitting entries will be announced later. NAME IT! NAME IT! NAME IT! NAME IT! NAME IT!

Twenty-eight High Schools Participating In Music Events In First Festival Of Its Kind

Events Started Yesterday Morning With Competition In Piano, Violin, Girls' and Boys' High and Low Voice

Normalites are hosts today to more than 700 students from 28 high schools in 20 parishes throughout the state in the second day of the first annual music festival ever held in the state. Local arrangement for the meet are under the direction of Prof. Paul Thornton, head of the music department.

The two-day festival started yesterday morning with competition in piano when entries from 15 schools vied for honors. Other events included violin, girls' low voice, boys' high voice, girls' high voice, and boys' low voice.

College To Be Host To State Police Jury

Plans for the annual meeting of the Louisiana Police Jury on the Louisiana State Normal campus on April 15 and 16 were formulated at a meeting of the state and local program committees this week under the direction of Sylvan Friedman of Natchez, president of the Natchitoches parish police jury and chairman of the state committee, and F. L. Clawson of Shreveport, secretary of the Louisiana police jury.

Features of the annual convention of the state police jury will include addresses by Gov. George H. Earle of Pennsylvania and Gov. Richard W. Leche, a barbecue at the local parish fair grounds, a banquet in the State Normal college dining hall, drives to historic points of interest in Natchitoches and immediate environs, and a trip to the Carey Salt works at Winnfield.

Visiting jurors will be given the opportunity to fish in Cane river lake during the convention, local officials stated today. Cabins in the lake region will be open to the visitors, and no fee will be charged for a license to fish during the two-day period.

More than 500 delegates are expected to attend the two-day convention. The visitors will be housed in the local hotels, the men's dormitory at the State Normal college and in the homes of local citizens. Reservations are being made through Miss Addie Taubin, secretary-treasurer of the local police jury.

All meetings of the convention will be held in the gymnasium-auditorium on the State Teachers' college campus here. Special entertainment will be furnished by the music and dramatics departments of the State Normal college.

Faculty Members Attend Conclave Of Associations

Several members of the faculty of this college journeyed to Hammond, Louisiana, to attend the third annual meeting of the Louisiana Academy of Science held at Southeastern Louisiana College on March 5 and 6.

This was a joint meeting of the Louisiana-Mississippi section of the Mathematical Association of America and the Louisiana-Mississippi Branch of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

Those from the Normal attending this meeting were Doctors Loretta Fox and Priscilla B. Hussey of the Biology department; Alfred Ducournau, secretary-treasurer of the organization, head of the Chemistry department; Alvin Good of the Social Science department; and A. C. Maddox of the Mathematics department.

Various speeches and papers, relatives to the various phases of life which can be adapted to modern science were given.

Today's activities will be dedicated to group singing in girls' and boys' glee club and mixed choruses in both class A and B schools. Special features today will be the appearance of the C. E. Byrd high school string ensemble of Shreveport and the Ruston high orchestra.

Judges of the high school contests are Maynard Klien of Newcomb college, New Orleans; Hendrik Buytendrop of Louisiana State University; and Ralph Squires of Centenary college.

The high school group that receives the highest rating during the two-day festival will be awarded a large lyre set on a bakelite base, and the outstanding high school musician of the meet will be presented a golden lyre. Presentation of awards will be made this afternoon by President Albert A. Fredericks.

Schools entered in the music festival are St. Mary's Academy of Natchitoches, St. Cecelia of Broussard, Elizabeth, DeRidder, Coushatta, Natchitoches, Lake Charles, Jennings, Leesville, Ouachita parish high school of Monroe, Lafayette, Gibsland, Baton Rouge, University high school of Baton Rouge, Evans, Wisner, C. E. Byrd of Shreveport, Louisiana Training institute of Monroe, Tallulah, Cypress, Fairview-Alpha, Welsh, Hico, Kinder, Jonesboro, Ruston, Campti, and Oak Grove.

Normal Debaters Make Showing At Durant, Okla.

With four teams in the final rounds, a second in the extempore speaking contest, and 20 wins in debate, the Normal debate squad emerged successfully from the Savage Forensic Tournament held in Durant, Oklahoma on March 5 and 6.

In the four preliminary rounds, the Normal squad was represented in every division of the tournament; while in the elimination round the next day four teams survived. They were: Dorothy Aden and LaVerne Whitener, senior women's division; Pat Murphy and Gardner Krieger, junior men's division; Willie Lou Talbot and Henry Ford Glass, senior mixed division; and Al Rodriguez and John Makar in the senior men's division.

Willie Lou Talbot and Henry Ford Glass went into the semi-finals of the senior mixed division and there dropped a decision to Baylor University.

LaVerne Whitener after surviving the preliminaries in the women's extempore speaking came through with a second in the finals and was awarded a gold key.

John Makar in oratory came through in the preliminary round, but as the men's squad left Durant at 5:00 p. m. Makar was not present for the final round held at 9:00 p. m.

Among the 20 teams beaten by the Normal squad are: Oklahoma University, Stephen F. Austin, Southern Methodist University, Texas Tech, and Hardin-Simmons University.

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THREE STEPS FOR CULTURE

Critics of the present-day educational set-up are ever ready to condemn institutions of higher learning on the basis that they fail in the cultural aspects of education. This indictment cannot be made of Normal, for in keeping with the college's cultural program there begins today and ends on the twentieth a program featuring three distinct phases of cultural advancement.

Appealing to the esthetic sense will be the Vocal Festival under the supervision of Prof. Paul Thornton, head of the music department. The finer art of physical education will be king Saturday as the physical education department sponsors the third annual sports day, with Mrs. Kyser at the helm. Under the direction of R. L. Ropp the fourth annual Louisiana Speech Tournament will serve as the third distinct phase of cultural advancement, that is, the speaking phase.

A total number of more than 1200 will actively participate in the three activities to which the student-body is invited to attend.

Next week-end in the debate tournament alone, there will be debaters, orators, extempore speakers, and coaches from nine states in the south and middle west. In the forensic field the Normal has established an enviable record, and the fact that 25 major colleges and universities will attend the tournament is proof enough of the college's leadership in this field.

The sports day program in which 300 secondary school students will participate is a step toward the perfection of the body. In keeping with the principle that a sound body makes for a sound mind, the sports day is an attempt to encourage every individual to engage in one sport or another. Here again is proof that the Normal is the center of another field necessary for the development of the individual's versatility.

The esthetic sense must be developed and 700 students attending the Vocal Festival here will be encouraged to greater aspirations in this all-important field. An appreciation and understanding of music comes to but few; here, however, is an opportunity for all to take.

Believing with the members of our own sociology department that the future of our civilization depends on the judicious use of our leisure time, we find evidence that the Normal is providing the higher arts for the advancement of the mind.

To be really educated, in the complete sense of the word, one must know that a healthy body is the first consideration, to be able to speak convincingly and effectively is no longer a desirable quality alone, but rather a necessity, and finally to develop an appreciation for good music is to mark one's self with the distinction of being cultured.

THE PRIVILEGE OF VOTING

The right of vote is extended to all members of the student body, and the exercise of this privilege should be recognized as the personal and private concern of the individual. The student body of the Louisiana State Normal college consists of intelligent young men and women who are perfectly capable of thinking for themselves.

The resentment against those individuals who attempt to "politick" others' votes is growing. This type of "electioneering", which formerly accompanied every election, is rapidly disappearing, frowned upon by an educated public opinion in the student body.

Those who have in the past "politicked" votes should take warning and refrain from such practices in the spring elections, if they honestly desire their candidates' election. For they will surely discover that students reserve the privilege of voting to themselves and do not appreciate advice as to how to vote. The tide of public opinion has turned against such methods, and public opinion is too powerful an opponent for any candidate to fight against.

WHAT NOW?

Despite the fact that 99 per cent of all college students hate pep talks and lectures on doing better, this publication ventures to write a "do better" editorial inasmuch as the new semester begins with the first publication of the paper for the spring session.

Strangely enough, there breathes scarcely a student on the campus who has not unto himself oft said, at final exam time, that he wished that he had kept up with his studies during the term so that he would not need to cram to the bursting point. Fully half of this group have usually made a resolution to do better during the coming term. What is not so strange is the fact that they have soon

Student Opinions

Reserve Room

It has been rumored that quite a few of the students would like a larger Reserve Room for the library—where two people can and may (without disturbing others) get together and study and discuss the reserve books. Or if we can't have a larger room we might at least have the privilege of using two rooms.

A. K.

Parking

It is the opinion of the Bus students and drivers that since a parking place has been provided for the busses—that that space should be left vacant for the busses and not for cars. Why have rules if they cannot be enforced?

Bus Student

Vaudeville

Several students have asked that the vaudeville shows be given at the noon hour when the newsreels are shown—if of course the newsreels are not too long. The students have decided that they must be worth seeing or there would be no repeated performances. How about it???

D. R.

Curriculum Changes

Different reactions have been put in'to words, by the students, regarding the new changes in the curriculum. Some agree that the new eighteen hour limit to the load one may take, is for the best. Others who had planned to carry heavier loads, thereby graduating or receiving their degrees early in the coming school year, are rather against it.

L. W.

Shrubbery

The new shrubbery is adding greatly to the beauty of our library—and it want be long until the library will be dedicated. The students are pleased with the news of the Governor of Pennsylvania being present at the dedication. It is "another feather in Mr. Fredericks' cap," and that of the college.

W. T.

Drinking Fountain

And there is the question that many would like answered, "Why don't we have a drinking fountain in Caldwell Hall?" Many students have classes in Caldwell Hall the entire day and because they would have to walk around to the Field House, do without water all day. Yet, our Biology classes and Health classes teach us that we should drink much more water than we do. When, however, it is so inconvenient to get water, the students forego the pleasure of a cool drink of water to refresh them between classes.

B. A.

Phi Kappa Nu's Give Dinner Dance At Eight Tonight

Tonight the Phi Kappa Nu fraternity will be host to forty couples at a semi-formal dinner dance to be held in the Field House at 8 o'clock. Informal dancing will take place from eight to nine and program dancing from nine until eleven.

The Field House will be decorated with the Phi Kappa Nu colors and spring flowers. Confetti and balloons will add to the festivity of the evening.

Besides Phi Kappa Nu fraternity members, the following guests will be present: Mr. and Mrs. Winstead, Miss Katherine Z. Winters, Mrs. Ethel L. Hereford, Dorothy LaCroix and Wilborn Slack, Sigma Tau Gamma representatives, and Dennie Pierman and Henry Ford Glass, Lambda Zeta representative.

Phi Kappa Nu held its first dinner dance in May of last year. A night club theme with appropriate entertainment and night club favors added to the revelry of the night.

forgotten their promises to themselves with the first dull moment in the lecture and the first new moon in the sky. This truth will be even more manifest during the coming three months, which are undoubtedly the least conducive months for study and the most encouraging to budding love and its concomitant indifference to classroom procedure.

Rather than paint a moral or teach a lesson, the Current Sauce suggests that he who is inclined to neglect his studies until exam time would find keeping up with daily assignments imports a certain self-confidence at test time which is more than sufficient recompense for the half-hour devoted to daily work.

The Listening Post

THE WINNFELD BUS

What was Herman Durham doing with lipstick on his Trench Coat the other day—and what's this about him taking two young ladies to the show that day—one of them couldn't have been Myrtle Sugg???

And did some one really borrow his coat!!! And with the new term we hear that Aliene Richardson, Elizabeth Boone and Lois Kennedy have started riding the bus—Dick says now maybe we will have warm weather!!!

We take back all we've said about Pete Pace trifling on Dimples Cook; it seems that he's been way over to Sabine Parish to see her!!!

THE COUSHATTA BUS

We hear that Sam Mayeaux's reason for quietness is a certain young red-haired lady that rides the Winnfield Bus—and is some one about to start competition for Sam???

We hear that this bus is sponsoring a column "Tis Rumored" in competition to our LISTENING POST???

THE MARTHAVILLE BUS

We hear that Albert Bell, whom we classed as a lady's man last time, is now Ruth Forroux's man—Happy Hunting!!!

And so Lustrine Ingram doesn't know whether she desires an aspiring young gentleman or not?

THE GRANT PARISH BUS

And who is it that Thelma Ship is getting love letters from daily—and she passes as a quiet, demure young lady???

We hear that the dignified seniors on that bus don't mind having the freshmen put that "highest mark of greeting" on them!!!

We fear that we are about to lose several of the students on this bus with the coming of a new term. May our best wishes go with them???

And now just because we mentioned Stella Fletcher and Luther Sanson being seen together quite a bit they are not being seen together—so as not to cause talk we suppose???

THE MANY BUS

Clark Founcy and Theresa Cobb have the habit of going for short strolls rather frequently???

And why does Katie Muse like to spend so much of her spare time on the Grant Parish Bus???

We are sorry that Gracie Mae Idom has been on the sick list so long.

Sigma Tau Gamma Entertains With Dance Tomorrow

More than 200 people are expected to attend the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity dance in the women's gymnasium tomorrow night from 8:30 to 12:00 p. m. it was announced today by fraternity leaders. Music for the dance will be furnished by the orchestra composed of campus boys.

Invitations with date privileges will be limited to 75 couples, 40 or 45 of which will be reserved for Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity men and the others divided between Phi Kappa Nu and Lambda Zeta fraternities who will be the guests of Sigma Tau. Non-fraternity men who wish to attend the dance, are asked to see Robert Easley, Wesley Vaughn, or L. C. Ford. All men students not taking dates, will serve as stags.

Those men in Phi Kappa Nu fraternity wishing to take dates should see Harold Smolinski; those in Lambda Zeta should see Paul Piazza. Invitations will be given out in Social Hall Friday night after supper and all day Saturday.

Decorations for the dance will be centered about the new fraternity colors: blue and white. Four "no-breaks" will be played in the course of the evening, one for each of the fraternities and one for "dates."

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

RANDOM SHOTS

Here is the old C. G. back on the job again to tell you all the "dirt" that everyone likes to hear about himself—but no, thank you, please refrain from using my name. This request was made by Tom Pinckney, O.K. Tom, we'll do that very thing—beginning right now.

NEW FLAMES!!

Several new campus combinations are being formed—namely Freva Webb and Lynn Cook, Laurence Lindsley and Lynda Lee Renfroe. Boys you aren't doing badly at all!!! Marion See and Bill Bate-man seem to be among the group having mutual interests.

SOMETHING A LITTLE DIFFERENT

Myrtis Sexton and Toy Whittington seemed to enjoy each others company on Sunday afternoon. Marjorie Godfrey and Milton McGee stroll the campus daily.

WHAT A CHANGE?

With the trees being clipped down along campus drives and new lights placed there in their stead, "courtin' fools" find life increasingly difficult.

But that is not the only change—note the sweet dispositions develop on the faces of many young men on the campus—we dare say it's nothing more than the usual "rushing season" smile transferred to the political field. From now on we'll accept bribes in any shape, form or manner—and to show our impartiality, we'll take 'em from both sides.

COUPLES WE LIKE!!!

Ottie Mae Duncan and Sims Jackson.

"Cooter" seems to have quite a number of ardent admirers. Let's see girls, which is best?

W. E. Coyle and Virginia Thomas, Bill Loftin, the startling basketballer, and Eloise Welborn are among the number of "after supper" strollers. Dorothy Gamel and Joe Colquette follow the same procedure. 'Tis spring when a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of love. Speaking of Bill reminds us, he's about ready to launch his great political campaign in the forthcoming election. Bob Easley, so we've heard, will also be among those entering spring politics.

HAVE YOU HEARD??

Who it was that had to break a date Saturday night because his girl dropped in? Don't think the "Supposed to be date" didn't pick the couple up and take them to town.

Mildred Rhodes seems to like dating one of the town freshman boys—none other than Howard Harlan.

CARNATIONS!

These go to those of the administrative staff who were instrumental in acquiring the new victrola.

P. S.—In case you're interested, C. G. (mentioned in the first line) has reference to Campus Gossip.

Respectfully submitted by your own

SNOOPIEST SNOOPER.

W. A. A. Basketball Program Is Success

The intramural basketball program sponsored by the Women's Athletic Association was brought to a successful close on last Tuesday when the last games were played. Five teams, Town 1, Town 2, A dormitory, B dormitory, and a team from both C and D dormitories participated in the tournament games. Approximately 50 girls took active part in the practice and play throughout the term.

The Town 1 team amassed a total of plus 73 points to win the tournament. Town 2 team was second with a total of plus 54 points.

The members of the winning Town 1 team were: Della Skinner, forward; Thelma Salter, forward; Girthree Leach, forward; Dovie Ford, guard; Willie Bankston, guard; Ollie Calhoun, guard; and Evelyn Morrow, guard; Faye Patrick, forward, was Captain of the team.

There was evidence of unusual skill in playing, and the competition in all games was keen.

GREEK NOTES

PI KAPPA SIGMA

The officers that were elected at the meeting of Pi Kappa Sigma sorority last week are as follows: President, Dorothy V. Irion; vice president, Anne Butts; corresponding secretary, Eleanor Williams; recording secretary, Rosemary Laws; corresponding editor, Martha Files; press agent, Mary Ida Aycock; keeper of archives, Elizabeth Reeves; sergeant at arms, Jane McCardell.

Pi Kappa Sigma announces the formal pledging of Johnnah Peterson on Monday, March 8th.

Miss Elizabeth Aycock, a pledge of last year was a visitor here last week.

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha announces the pledging of Catherine Schoenberg and Angie Dell Ballard and the initiation of Judith Compton, Irble Sasser, and Lida Wilson.

Mrs. Clarence DeBlieux visited Alpha Sigma Alpha last week.

PHI ALPHA THETA

Pi chapter of Phi Alpha Theta, honorary history fraternity, gave its annual banquet at the Hotel Nakatosh on Friday evening, Feb. 26, 1937. Faculty, alumni, and active members, with guests, as-

Ten Members Initiated By Demeter Frat

Ten agriculturists were initiated into Demeter, national agriculture fraternity, according to a statement by Buddy Smith, president of the fraternity.

Formal initiation rituals were performed on February 24 at which time the following men were invested with membership in the local chapter: Leon Straciner, Delbert Houston, Otto Evans, Chester McMillan, David Spears, Arland Hand, Ben Rushing, Merrill Byles, Kelley Morgan, and R. W. Goins.

Five days before ritual services, all initiates were required to go through informal initiation activities which included the wearing of typical farm clothes and the carrying of a farm implement throughout the day.

Latest plans for the fraternity call for another program to be given in some town in the near future. The purpose of the programs is to disseminate information to agriculturists, and to give the members of Demeter training in public speaking and group discussions.

THIS COLLEGIATE WORLD (By Associated Collegiate Press)

What University of Texas students thought was going to be a "pipe" examination turned out to be a viciously circling boomerang.

"Fellows," announced the instructor, "I'm just as tired of these darn exams as you are so I've decided to give you an easy one today. Just one question, in fact."

Everybody in the class did a series of simple mathematical calculations and arrived at the sum of 100 for the answer.

"Just a minute," said the instructor, "I forgot something. Recall the number of times you were absent from this class, multiply that by two and subtract it from the answer on the problem."

"The 'A' grades that students had visioned slid down the alphabetical scale and even a few 'F's' blemished the instructor's record book.

sembled at seven o'clock, and a delicious dinner was served. The theme of the banquet, "Wonders and Developments Since The Time of George and Abe," was carried out in every detail of the decorations, novel favors, and interesting contests. Prizes were awarded the winners of the contests.

THIRD ANNUAL SPORTS DAY HERE SATURDAY

DEMON CAGEMEN DEFEAT TECHMEN IN LAST GAME

The Louisiana State Normal Demons brought to a close their 1937 basket ball schedule Saturday night, February 29, with a decisive 44 to 30 victory over the Tech Bulldogs. The win over the up-staters gave the locals a clean slate against Little Four competition for the second consecutive year and left them with thirteen wins and three defeats against S. I. A. A. competition.

Beginning in the first few minutes of the game to build up a lead, the local cagemen passed and shot with the degree of effectiveness that they have shown in a great many of their games this year and at the half were out in front 29 to 11.

After the regular five had built up a substantial lead, Coach Prather played Linzay and Colquette, reserve forwards and Skinner understudy to Tullos at the center position.

In the second half, the Demons slowed up their game and coasted on their first half lead. Tech began to find the goal in the last part of the second period and brought the Demons from a 29 point lead to a 14 point advantage.

The passing and shooting of the Demons was a great improvement over that in the Centenary game. Tullos led the scorers with 15 points. Elkins was second with a total of ten points.

Recreation Hour Attracts Students

The recreation hour conducted every Wednesday evening at 8:15 by the Women's Athletic Association is steadily growing in popularity, as evidenced by the increasing attendance.

Pleasurable participation in such games as Dart Baseball, Target Darts, Quoits, Ping Pong, Shuffle Board, Horseshoe pitching, Ring-board games, and Aerial Darts is provided. For those who are inclined to enjoy sedentary recreation rather than active, Dominoes appear. The hour is conducted very informally, purely for the enjoyment of the students.

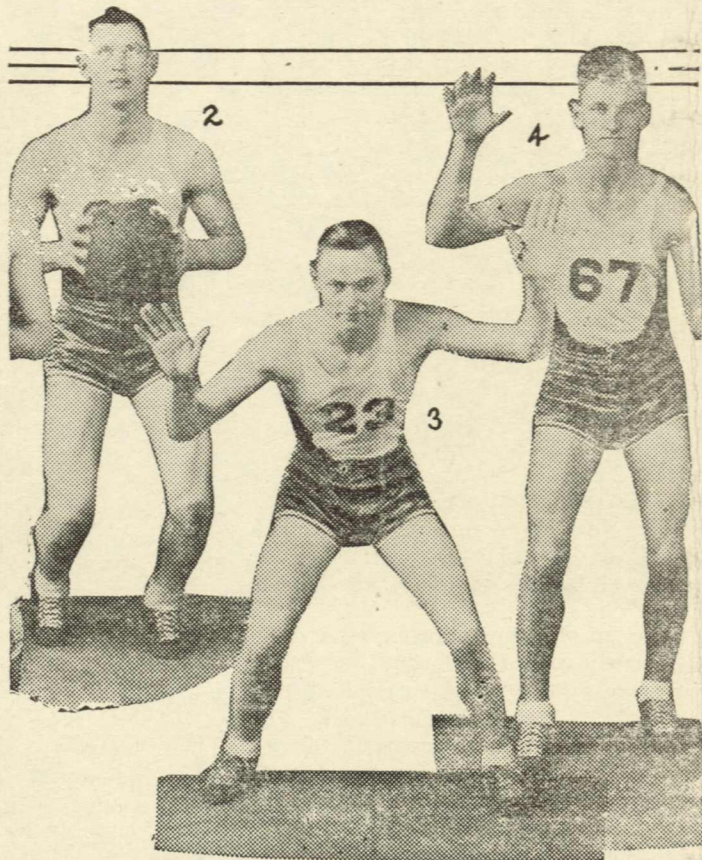
W. A. A. Plans Many Activities

The Women's Athletic Association plans an interesting and varied program of activities for the Spring Quarter. The major activities to be provided will be Tennis, Baseball, and Recreational games—such as Croquet, Tennequoits, Horse-shoe pitching, Clock Golf, Aerial Darts, and Badminton. Later, when the weather permits the pool will be opened and supervised for swimming. Proper instruction in these activities is provided, and after participants evidence a certain degree of skill, tournaments are conducted. The program will be so arranged that the activities will be rotated, within the group, allowing a maximum number of people to take part in all of the activities rather than in one or two games.

The Outing Club, an affiliation of the W. A. A., will also come into its own during the spring. There has been no activity in this club of late, because of the weather. Many hikes and picnics will be conducted in the future.

All girls interested in taking part in the W. A. A. activities should watch the bulletin boards for details.

BACK NEXT YEAR



The three men pictured here will form the nucleus around which next year's basketball squad will be centered. With the inclusion of John Elkins, of whom a picture was not available, Coach Prather should have good starting material for next winter. Those pictured are Milton McGee, Bill Loftin, and E. D. Perkins. Taking them alphabetically, they are, biographically:

BILL (William Henry) LOFTIN, was born long enough ago to exercise the franchise. Bill weighs 145 pounds, is five feet ten inches tall, lettered four years in basketball at Martin high school, alternating at forward and guard. All season he played a consistently good game at forward for the Demons as he did last year when he was a sophomore. He is majoring in the Science-Agriculture curriculum and hopes to teach in Red River parish after graduation next year. He is not particularly crazy about studying (and who is?) but he does have an above the average record in his grades. He likes the movies and women as well but shows no particular partiality to any one of the opposite sex. He likes to sleep but doesn't get much of it because his room is generally crammed with Normalites which attests to his popularity. It is rumored that he may enter the political arena where he is expected to register because of his likeability, his abstinence from "terbacky" and "likker", and his record as a clean sport.

MILTON MCGEE is from the same town that Loftin registered in and is also able to vote. He changed his traditional position of forward on the team to center where he is expected to shine next year when Tullos is gone. McGee is more of a one woman man than is Loftin but is pursuing the same curriculum. Milton does not stop with basketball but is a varsity member of the track squad, specializing in the pole vault—he won the title four out of five years in the Red River Parish Rally while in high school—and the high jump. Last year he beat Charlie Meadows in the Inter-Squad track meet in the high jump. McGee along with Loftin is sold on sleeping but inasmuch as the two of them are roommates, they don't get much of their pastime.

E. D. PERKINS is probably the mystery man of the group—not only in theory but in actuality—he's so deceptive when it comes to basketball that he fools not only the opposition but often his teammates. Perkins showed up excellently all season in his defensive and offensive tactics which earned for him the admiration of the crowd as well as that of the players. The characteristics were evident in his game. Perkins is a sophomore and a graduate of Natchitoches high school. He adds to his deceptive nature by the fact that he is unusually quiet in his ways both off and on the court.

Turpin To Have Better Rounded Thinclad Squad

Only Four Men Lost From Last Year's Squad; Many Promising Freshmen Added

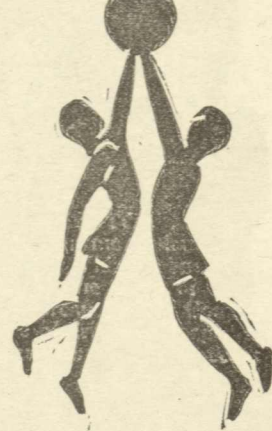
According to a statement made by Coach Harry Turpin, this year's varsity track squad will be "better balanced" than the one Normal had last year. The squad may be in shape sufficiently for several entries in the Relay Carnival to be held at Southwestern Louisiana Institute on March 27.

The squad will be minus but four men from last year's trackmen, including two "sure placers," Charlie Meadows and Woodrow Turner. Marvin Wyatt, performer in 100 and 220 yard dashes, 220 yard low hurdles, pole vault, and running broad jump will be lost to the squad for some time as a result of an ankle injury received in the game with Murray State at the S.I.A.A. basketball tournament in Bowling Green, Ky. Monday.

Regulars of the varsity who will be back this year are: Milton McGee of Martin, high jump; Douglas Williamson of Coushatta, 440 and 880 yard dashes; James Austin of Mooringsport, mile run; and Clifton Thomas of Natchitoches, 100 and 220 yard dashes.

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TIP OFFS



For the second consecutive year the Demons have gone undefeated in the Little Four competition and for the second consecutive year they have been invited to the S. I. A. A. tournament. This success has largely been due to Coach Prather who has been the athletic tutor here at the Normal for the last twenty-four years. In the years that he has been here, Coach Prather has consistently been successful with his cage teams and has established the Normal as a threat in basketball circles in Louisiana, Texas, and Mississippi.

Since Normal has been in the S. I. A. A. this is the eighth time they have received a bid to participate in the tourney. Last year the Demons attended the tournament in Jackson and lost to Murray Teachers who were the 1936 champions in the semi-finals. The Kentucky cagers defeated the local boys 36 to 22 by going on a scoring spree in the closing minutes of the game.

A highlight of the past season was the Demon's victory over the strong Stephen F. Austin Lumberjacks. The Demons played their best ball of this past season when they trounced the Texans by a fourteen point margin.

Coach Prather will lose two men from this year's squad. Tullos, center, and Wyatt forward played

MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED TO PARTICIPATE IN GAMES AND COMPETITION TOMORROW

"A Game For Every Girl, And a Girl In Every Game," Is Motto of The Sports Program

More than 500 high school girls from secondary schools throughout northwest Louisiana will attend the third annual sports day on the campus of the State Normal college here Saturday, it was announced today by Mrs. Thelma Z. Kyser, head of the physical education department for women at the State Teachers' college.

With emphasis placed upon the enjoyable participation in the game rather than upon the winning of a championship, the sports day will provide the ideal situation of "a game for every girl, and a girl for every game."

Activities of the day will include baseball, volley ball, folk dancing, tennequoits, aerial darts, soccer, stunts, relays and various recreation games. Women students of the college who are majors in health and physical education will conduct the games.

A special feature of the one-day meet will be the selection of a health queen who will be judged upon posture, normal weight for height and age, appearance, regular attendance at school, and school health examination card. Miss Ada Fowler, 14, of Haughton won the honor in 1935 and last year Miss Faye Wardlow of Montgomery topped a list of 18 candidates to win the cup.

Registration of contestants and assignment to groups will be made their last year on the hardwood as they are both members of the graduating class of this year.

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Old Timers Tell of Former Customs

A few old timers got to talking in the Field House the other day about the older customs at Normal and how this college is keeping in step socially with the greatest liberal universities and colleges of the country today. Mrs. Ethel L. Hereford, it was learned, is more modern in many respects than students may believe, although she is careful to prevent any rapid revolution of ultra-modern customs. Also partaking in a discussion were Strawberry Thomas and Ruby McCain, today Normal students of long standing and citizens of Natchitoches. They told of how they helped to "break-in" and form some of the present progressive tendencies of the college while they were still attending high school. They also told of their actions at that early age of "innocence"—such actions as frightening angelic Normal co-eds.

Time Marches On

"There was a time," remarked Mrs. Hereford "when the boys and girls were almost entirely segregated most of the time, and closely chaperoned during the short occasions that permitted some of them to be together. But the trend is leading toward the more advanced view. Intelligent people realize that the present generation of young people is well informed and that liberal relations between all college men and wom-

en is desirable to progressive society.

"Just as the former customs were correct and accepted by society during the past generation," Mrs. Hereford added, "so is the present trend, that probably will be outmoded again in future years, desirable today. Customs are constantly changing and people of all ages are being alert to keep-up with the times."

Rudy Recalls Risk

"I remember," said Rudy, keeping his eyes on the delicate white ball that was being mercilessly batted back and forth across the net, a ping pong table, "when I broke all precedences by carrying a watermelon across 'No Man's Land', and right through the halls of a girls' dormitory. I was a high school freshman then. Now the girls and fellows are beginning to think nothing of walking the short way to the dining hall together through 'No Man's Land'."

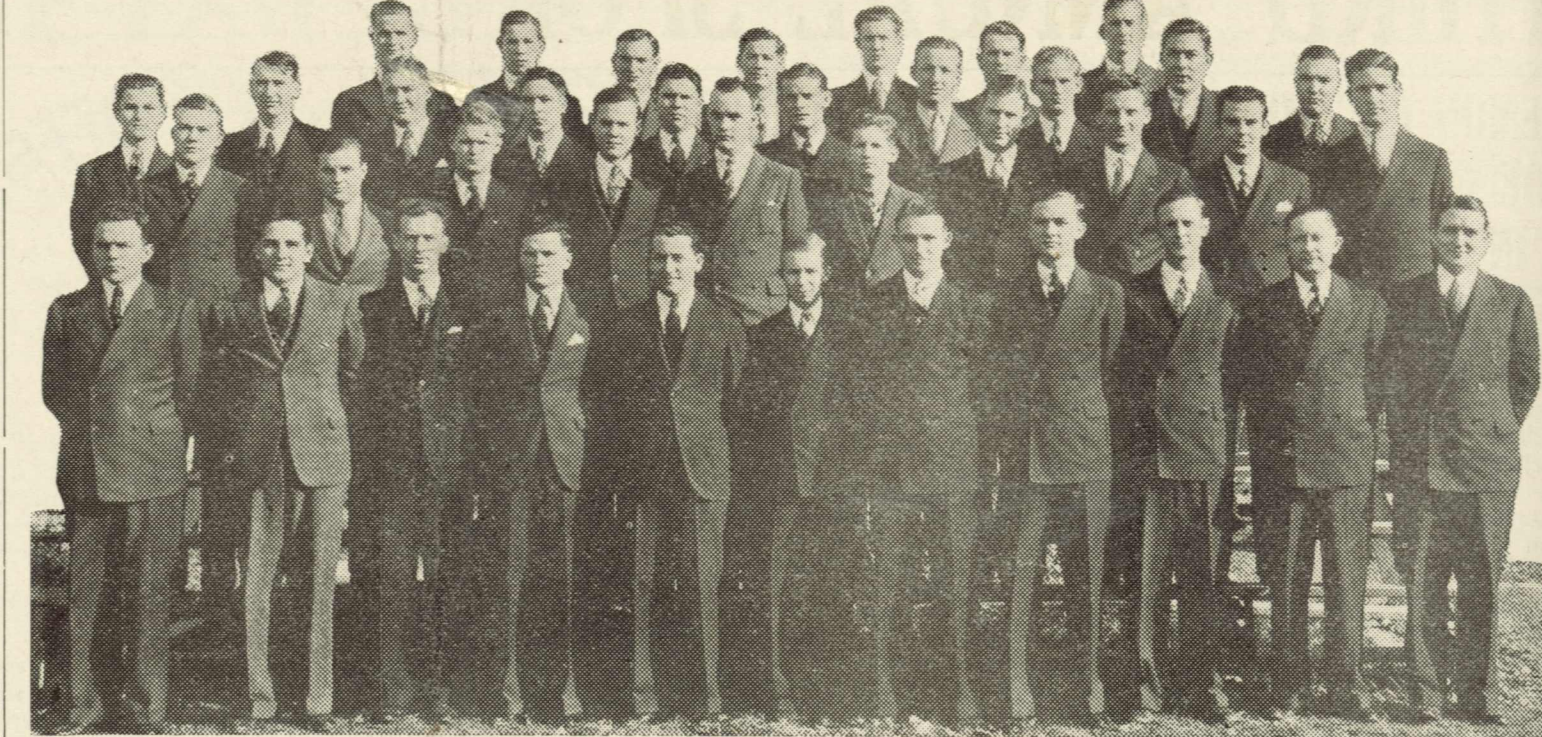
"Yes," affirmed Strawberry in a reminiscent tone, "and a couple of years later we met the co-eds at the train and carried their suitcases into the dormitories. Then, when I became a freshman here, I went into a co-ed's dormitory to carry-out her trunk."

Girls Watched Carefully

"The Normal classroom was different years ago," it was revealed by Mrs. Hereford, in an unaffected voice. "Girls and boys were not allowed to sit on the same side of the room—nor allowed to speak to each other in the classroom or library."

"It wasn't so long ago that the fellows met their girl-friend at the center stairway in Caldwell Hall to take her to the motion picture show in the auditorium. After the show, they said goodbye at the stairway and the girls marched back to their dormitories."

"Juniors and seniors were allowed to walk to the theater in town, providing that three couples



MEN'S GLEE CLUB TO GIVE CONCERT

The Men's Glee Club, under the direction of Paul Thornton, head of the music department, of the State Normal college will render a concert here for the first annual high school vocal festival now being held. In addition to a typical program of song numbers, the club will also present vocal and flute soloists and a brass quartet as special features. Members of the State Teachers' college Glee Club are, front row, left to right: J. E. Holly, Jonesboro; Jack Fisher, Bogalusa; Francis Herman, Shreveport; Arlon Hand, Coushatta; Albert Plauche, Plaquemine; Glen Riggins, Ruston; Don Shipp, Haughton; Melvin Bradley, Serepta; Lorane Brittain, pianist; President A. A. Fredericks; Paul Thornton, director; second row: Jack Malone, Plain Dealing; J. L. Collum, Shreveport; Meredith Cravens, Jonesboro; Travis Gore, Kelly; Scriven Swett, Natchitoches; John Norris, Natchitoches; R. D. Young, Sikes; Herbert Sayers, Lake Charles; Tom Pinckney, Minden; Charles Dupuy, Boyce; third row: Z. T. Craft, Anacoco; Howard Smith, DeRidder; Nolan Cargile, Hope, Ark.; Oliver Jeansonne, Evergreen; Lewis Norris, Hall Summit; J. R. Sherman, Haynesville; Hugh Cutrer, Bogalusa; Champ Tyrone, Bogalusa; Paul Brown, Coushatta; Paul Powell, Natchitoches; back row: Harvell Pierce, Franklinton; W. L. Tanner, Epps; E. L. Cross, Minden; Newton Barnette, Minden; Harold Mitchell, Minden; Chas. Youngblood, DeRidder; Bill Causey, Franklinton.

went together, along a directed route. At the end of each picture, the lights of the theatre were turned on so the chaperones could see that all was well. Freshmen and sophomore girls could go only to church at night."

Graveyard Ghost Ousted

On the route to church, the line of underclass women was often excited by horrifying sounds that came from the graveyard. The youngsters, Rudy and Strawberry, took particular delight in frightening the girls and watching them swerve out of line at the sound of their haunting voices from behind the graveyard wall. Their

boos were changed to boo-hoos, however, when a football player accompanied the girls to church one dismal night. From that night to this, the girls and boys have not been afraid of the graveyard. In fact some of them now pause to admire the graveyard beneath a dim summer moon.

Fences around the campus have been removed along with the gates that blocked the campus roads. Disciples of Shakespeare found the wall scene to be realistic when applied to the Normal fence scenes of not many years ago. When a gate was removed to allow automobiles to be driven as far as the

social hall, the students thought that the college was "wide-open."

Chaperon Disappears

Social affairs used to be closely scrutinized, but Emily Post's "Disappearing Chaperon" idea was effected Saturday when Ms. Hereford disappeared from the Field House dance to attend the Band Mothers' Barn Dance in the men's gymnasium.

Several customs have faded or are fading away to meet the philosophy of the present generation. Uniform dress for all girls; separation of men and women who desire to study together in classroom and library; separate tennis

courts; forbidden use of automobile for transportation, occasional class-cutting by those who are able to stand it, and general strict scrutinizing of the average man and woman student are, it seems, fast becoming practices of the past, it was indicated during the Field House discussions.

"The life of college women eventually will revolve around some man," Mrs. Hereford said in her closing of the discussion when the curfew bell sounded, "so it is probably better for the woman to associate with men during her college career—even if it does make her dizzy."

Why Students Ride The Bus, Told by Rider

With the beginning of a new term we find that many of the students who have boarded in the club or in town during the past three months are returning to their homes and the busses. The chief reason for this is almost without exception, economy, second, comes the pleasure derived from living at home, and third, is the close contact with friends and "enemies" that can be had in riding the bus.

The economy phase is uppermost in the minds of most of the students who ride the bus. Were it not for the busses a great many students would be unable to get a college education at all since the majority of them come from farm homes—and everyone knows that at the present no one is getting rich at farming. The pleasure phase is taken care of by simply stating that many students would rather spend their spare time at home among friends and neighbors they have known always than among friends whom they will know only for the brief period of their college "career."

The close contacts of the bus students in the process of commuting is a source of real enjoyment to all. If one desires to study he can do so with the aid of his neighbor. If one wants to play, another neighbor is willing, usually, to aid him. It can be easily seen, therefore, that busses are indispensable to quite a few students attending the college.

Share Music Honors

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of the state.

The string ensemble of the C. E. Byrd high school and the Ruston high school orchestra will appear on the program Friday as special features of the festival.

Trophies to winners in the contests will be awarded by President Albert A. Fredericks at 3:30 p.m. Friday at the termination of a concert by the State Normal college Treble Cleff club, the Men's Glee club and the band which will climax the festival.

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Commencement Program Here Outlined

Five Colleges Share In Wins Here Last Week

Normal College And Baylor Top Field Of Winners With Three Firsts Each

Five colleges and universities in three states shared honors in the fourth annual Louisiana speech tournament held on the campus here Friday and Saturday. A total of 23 institutions from six states entered 120 speakers in the meet to give the tournament the largest enrollment in its history.

Baylor University of Waco, Tex. and the Louisiana State Normal college tied for honors in first places, each winning three. The Texas university took three second places; while the Louisiana Normal won two seconds and a third. Louisiana college of Pineville won one first place, and Ouachita college of Arkadelphia, Ark., and Mary-Hardin Baylor college of Belton, Texas each won a second place.

Women's Division

In the women's debate division, a State Normal college team composed of Dorothy Aden of Natchitoches and LaVerne Whitener of Goldonna defeated in the final round a team from Ouachita college to win the championship of the tournament. Two Baylor University teams topped a field of 40 teams to take first and second place in the men's division of debate. John Allen and J. C. Humphrey of Baylor defeated Al Rodriguez and John Makar of the State Normal college in the final round to place the Texans in first and second position.

John Makar of the State Normal won first place in men's oratory with C. J. Humphrey taking second; while Miss Melba Kees of Louisiana college took first in women's oratory and LaVerne Whitener of the Normal second.

In the extemporaneous speaking contest Frank Rosson of Baylor won first and Al Rodriguez of the Normal second in the men's division, with Miss Billie Murray of Baylor taking first in the women's division and Miss Elizabeth Moore of Mary Hardin Baylor, second. Al Rodriguez won first in after-dinner speaking and Miss Billie Murray, second.

Various Contests

During the two-day meet 144 contests, 139 in debate and five in extemporaneous speaking, oratory and after-dinner speaking, were staged. Silver trophies were awarded first and second place winners in both divisions of debate, and keys were presented speakers winning first and second in other events.

A special feature of the meet here was a banquet honoring the visiting speakers and their coaches in the college dining hall on the campus.

Groups Entered

Following are the institutions and the number of contestants entering the tournament: Ouachita college, Arkadelphia, Ark., 4; College of the Ozarks, Clarksville, Ark., 4; Mississippi State College, Starkville, Miss., 4; Louisiana College, Pineville, La., 7; Hendricks College, Conway, Ark., 4; Springhill College, Springhill, Ala., 3; Arkansas State Teachers college, Conway, Ark., 4; Mississippi College, Clinton, Miss., 4; Stephen F. Austin college, Nacogdoches, Texas, 4; Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, 6; Centenary college, Shreveport, 3; State Teachers college, Hattiesburg, 4; Southwestern Louisiana Institute, Lafayette, 2; Southern Methodist University, Dallas, 8; Southwestern Teachers' college, Weatherford, Okla., 6; Lamar College, Beaumont, Texas, 8; Mary Hardin-Baylor, Belton, Texas, 4; East Texas State Teachers college, Commerce, 4; Millsaps College, Jackson, Miss., 6; Baylor University, Waco, Texas, 10; Southeastern State Teachers' college, Durant, Okla., 8; Texas A. & M. College Station, Texas, 2; and Louisiana State Normal college, 12.

DEBATERS TO TOUR ELEVEN STATES



These four debaters and their coach will start on a 3500 mile debate tour of eleven states and the District of Columbia tomorrow morning. They are, top row, left to right: Al Rodriguez, John Makar, R. L. Ropp, coach. Bottom row: Dorothy Aden and La Verne Whitener.

The group pictured above will make a debate tour of more than 3500 miles through eleven states and the District of Columbia when they leave the college tomorrow morning on the first leg of the journey. The trip will take them through Arkansas, Tennessee, Virginia, Maryland, the District of Columbia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana. They will stop at colleges and universities along the route for contests. Next Thursday or Friday night they will be in Spring Hill, Alabama where they will meet the Spring Hill College debaters in a mixed team debate which will be followed by a radio debate from Mobile on the current question: "Resolved that Congress should be empowered to fix minimum wages and maximum hours for industry. In the tournament held here last week, Dorothy Aden and LaVerne Whitener won first place in the women's division of debate, against 19 teams, and Al Rodriguez and John Makar won third place in a field of 40 men's teams. John Makar won first place in men's oratory, and LaVerne Whitener won second in women's oratory. Al Rodriguez placed first in impromptu after-dinner speaking and second in the extemporaneous speaking contest. All were awarded gold trophies for first place and silver for second place.

Demeter Members Talk At Dry Prong

Three members of Demeter, national agriculture fraternity, spoke before a group of agriculturists at Dry Prong high school on March 17 on different phases of farming activities.

The group was led by Buddy Smith, president of Demeter, who talked on "The Feeding of Dairy Cows." Wilborn Slack discussed "Pastures" and their relation to cattle grazing. Raymond Szczesiul acted as spokesman and chairman for the program. Mr. Bringol, herdsman of the State Normal college for the past eight years, also spoke.

The speakers were accompanied by S. W. Nelken, sponsor of the club and head of the agriculture department of the college.

According to a statement made by Buddy Smith yesterday, Demeter plans another joint meeting with the Home Economics majors shortly after the Easter holidays. The joint meeting held recently was such a "pronounced success," according to both organizations, that similar programs will be carried on throughout the year.

Lecture On Alcohol Is Given By Visitor

Thursday afternoon at one o'clock in the Caldwell auditorium of the Louisiana State Normal College, Mrs. Mabel K. Alt gave a lecture on the uses and effects of alcohol.

Mrs. Orr presented her lecture in the way that would be of most benefit to prospective teachers. She gave the uses as well as the harms of alcohol, but dealt primarily with its effect on the minds of young people during the period of growth and education. The lecture was very instructive.

Mrs. Orr is a graduate of the State Normal of Missouri. She is touring in different states giving lectures to educate the public on the subject of alcohol.

EASTER HOLIDAYS

The Easter holidays will begin on Friday, March 26, and will continue through Monday, March 29. Classes will be resumed on the morning of Tuesday, March 30. All students are expected to be back at that time.

Newsreel Show Here Last Night

Five hundred feet of campus motion pictures plus Harold Lloyd in "Never Weaken" and a vaudeville show were on the program last night when the Easter edition of the Normal Newsreel-Variety show was produced in Caldwell auditorium. This made the fifth novel program arranged by Marjorie Patterson throughout the current school year. Sponsored by the Normal department of publications, the newsreel shows have yielded more than two thousand feet of action moving pictures taken of Normal students on and off the campus in plain and technicolor film.

American Colleges Follow Normal

Student following of the programs has been sufficient to establish at Normal the first regular college newsreel in the country. Since its adoption at the beginning of the fall term, 1936, the Normal newsreel production has been partially imitated by several colleges throughout Louisiana and the United States.

Production for the April edition of the Newsreel has already begun. Novel action pictures including slow-motion of varsity tennis and track events and new candid action of students will feature the forthcoming show along with another two reel comedy "short" rented from the Kodascope Motion Picture Libraries in Kansas City, Mo., and a new type of stage

Potpourri

Work is continuing steadily on the 1937 Potpourri. Over 400 reservations have been made, according to a statement made this week by Dorothy Aden, editor. All copy has been submitted to the publishers, and the proof is expected to be returned at an early date.

performance arranged by Normal's Miss Patterson, whose fame as a vaudeville program arranger has already reached throughout this state.

Improvements Being Made

Improvements in photography have been evident consistently with each program, and further improvements are expected to be made as consistently in the future. Among the additions expected to enhance the practical value of the project are new sound equipment, a wide-angle and a telescopic lens. Providing that students continue to find the following of the programs desirable, these modern accessories are expected to be added to the already ultra-modern equipment within a few school months.

For the first time, motion pictures taken under ordinary lighting conditions in the interior of campus buildings were shown in precise clearness last night. Candid pictures taken during registration in the offices of the registrar and treasurer as well as classroom library, and Field House were shown in perfection through use of a special supersensitive film, and artificially lighted dining-hall scene was also included among the improved inside pictures.

Vaudeville Program Varied

The vaudeville variety last night included an appearance of Glenn Riggins, better known as "Piccolo" on the Normal campus. He had just returned from Shreveport where he had won a contest in competition with representative entertainers from all sections of

Three Days Of Activities To Embrace Four Features During Annual Graduation Ceremonies

Baccalaureate Sermon To Open Annual Season, May 23; Fine Arts Festival, May 24

Announcement of a three-day commencement period embracing the annual baccalaureate sermon, the Spring Festival sponsored by the Fine Arts Club, the dedication of the Governor Richard W. Leche Library, and graduation exercises on May 23, 24 and 25 was made this week by President Albert A. Fredericks. The annual alumni home-coming day will be held at the termination of the spring quarter on May 29, it was announced.

Normal Freshman Wins First Place In Amateur Show

Competing in a field of 20 entries from the Ark-La-Tex area, Glen Riggins won first place and a merchandise prize of \$50.00 in the amateur contest held in Shreveport last Friday night with his renditions on a flute.

Glen, better known on the campus as "Piccolo," is a 1-3 freshman who has been playing the flute for four years and the piccolo for two. He is a member of the college band and the men's glee club.

He, along with Beth Reeves, was selected as the Natchitoches and State Normal college representative in a contest held in Caldwell auditorium Wednesday night at which time twenty-five numbers appeared on the program.

The prize of \$50.00 entitles "Piccolo" to merchandise purchases in a variety of Shreveport stores ranging from sporting goods to luggage and haberdashery.

Eight Schools Share In Music Honors

Eight high schools from widely separated sections of the state shared honors in the first annual Louisiana secondary school Vocal Festival held under the auspices of the Louisiana Music Association on the campus of the State Normal College here, March 11 and 12.

Ouachita Parish high school of Monroe topped the list of winners when its musicians were awarded trophies in every event the second day of the meet. Trained by Mrs. George A. Moffitt, the Ouachita Parish singers rated highly superior in both boys' glee club and mixed chorus and superior in girls' glee club.

Other Schools

Three other schools, Jennings, C. E. Byrd of Shreveport, and Kinder, were given awards in two divisions of the festival. The Jennings boys' glee club, developed by Miss Frances Bouanchaud, received a ranking of highly superior; and Paul Modish of Jennings ranked highly superior in piano.

Calvin Wheeler of the C. E. Byrd high school was rated highly superior in violin; and Miss Frances Carter, also of the Shreveport school, was given a rating of good in girls' low voice. The Kinder high school boys' glee club, coached by Fred Allen, received a rating of excellent in class B schools; and the girls' glee club from Kinder, trained by Miss Rushia Mae Butcher, was rated good plus.

Billy Meyers of Lafayette high school was given a rating of excellent in boys' high voice; John Bohmfolk of Welsh high school rated superior in boys' low voice; and Miss Mary Burton Mooney of Tallulah high school rated superior in girls' high voice. The mixed chorus of Campiti high school, directed by Mrs. Camille DeBlieux, rated a good plus in the class B division.

The First Day

On Thursday, March 11, the

The change in date of the annual commencement season was made to accommodate two special features of the occasion this year, the Fine Arts program and the dedication of the new library. Authorities decided that these added attractions should be given at a time when all students at the college could attend the programs.

Baccalaureate Sermon May 23

Opening with the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday morning, May 23, the commencement period will continue on Monday, May 24 with the day dedicated to the Fine Arts club of the college when it will hold local garden visitations in the morning and stage a contest in original poetry, drama, art and music based upon the romantic life of St. Denis, founder of Natchitoches in 1714, on Monday afternoon. The club will give a ball in the women's gymnasium Monday night.

On Tuesday morning, May 25, the local Fine Arts club will sponsor visitations to neighboring gardens, and on Tuesday afternoon, the club will give a tea and art exhibit in the social hall on the campus.

Gov. Leche To Speak

Tentative plans call for the annual graduation exercises to be held on the academic court Tuesday evening when Governor Leche will give the main address in connection with the dedication of the new library which bears his name.

The commencement season will be climaxed with a Venetian night on Normal Lake at the foot of the campus Tuesday night. The gala pageant will be held under the direction of the Fine Arts club

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Men's Glee Club Presents Concert In Caldwell Hall

Fifteen classical musical numbers were presented by the Normal Men's Glee Club under the direction of Professor Paul Thornton in Caldwell auditorium Tuesday night. A vocal solo was rendered by Champ Tyrone, piano solos by Professor Lorane Brittain, flute solos by Glen Riggins, and a baritone solo by Meredith Cravens. About two hundred students attended.

The songs interpreted by the glee club included: "Laudy, What a Lonesome Day", by MacRae; "Holy Mountain" by Rhoades; "Sylvia" by Speaks; "Song of the Jolly Roger", by Candish; "The Old Road", by Scott; "Eight Bells", Sea Chanty; "Old Man Noah", Sea Chanty; "Invictus", by Huhn, and an arrangement of "Alma Mater."

The solos rendered were "The Tinker's Song" of Slater, sung by Tyrone; Tourbillon (The Whirlwind) of Krantz and Fantasia "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms" of Smith-Holmes played by Riggins on his flute.

"Tango Americaine" of Carpenter, and "Maleguena" of Lecuona played on the piano by Professor Brittain.

Tenors singing for the Glee Club were Jack Fisher, Meredith Cravens, Harvell Pierce, J. L. Collum,

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APPRECIATION

The following letter expressed once again the reaction of visitors to the Normal college campus. The Current Sauce prints the letter in its entirety because it clearly illustrates the spirit that is Normal.

"Dear Mr. Fredericks:

"I wish to add this written word of commendation to that expressed verbally for the fine help which your institution gave our music program in the Festival held at Natchitoches Thursday and Friday of last week. I have attended many such festivals and have had considerable to do with the management of the same; I have never attended one which was managed more skillfully, nor where a finer spirit existed than at the one held at Natchitoches last week.

"If the remainder of the young people who enjoyed the hospitality of the college came away with as happy memories as my own daughter and with as fine an opinion of the friendly attitude of the college officials and students, I am sure that the Normal college has reaped huge dividends in good will from the affair.

"I know that music in the State has received a tremendous impetus and, as director of music activities, I am most grateful for the cooperation which you and your staff gave in promoting and putting across this excellent event. I do not know all the members of your staff who participated in the conduct of the Festival; I wish, however, that you would express my personal appreciation of their efforts.

"Sincerely yours,

"S. T. Burns,

"State Supervisor of Music"

"ELECTIONEERING"

With student body election time drawing near, it is worthwhile to call the students' attention to this fact. It is at this time that great rivalry among the various factions on the campus takes place. Should this exist? Can this be overcome? It would be wise for each student to maintain a calm and intelligent attitude toward the coming nominations and election.

Each member of the student body is entitled to one vote, to dispose of as he sees fit. The student who is considered worthy of having a voice in this student government should not tolerate the "politicking" of his vote but rather should cast his ballot after due consideration of the qualifications of the various candidates.

It is only natural that a person should resent other's attempts to influence his opinion. In a college of this size most of the students know the campus leaders well enough to vote intelligently without being informed of their virtues "by the campaigners" or told of their faults by the opposing side.

All political factions seem to be running worthy candidates for the various offices. Don't be "politicked" but let these men be elected or defeated on the basis of their own popularity and merits! Let the old "electioneering" practices be "Gone with the wind."

THAT GRASS AGAIN

Several times in the past few months, the attention of Normalites has been called to the deplorable condition of the grass on the campus and a suggested admonition that students use the walks despite the fact that "cutting across the grass" may save a few minutes time.

Fundamentally, there is nothing wrong with using grass as a sidewalk—in fact, it often reminds one of home and the plow furrows—but the appearance of the academic court and other grass areas on the campus is a direct reflection of the type of people attending the college. A visitor is inclined to believe that he who has not sufficient respect for the beauty of his own campus could take little pride in maintaining order in his own yard.

This paper realizes that editorials are seldom read and when read are seldom heeded but it does feel that something should be done to preserve or improve the appearance of barren spots on the hill. With the first new grass coming up, may we suggest that appropriate "Please" signs be placed at strategic "cut across" spots to remind those who do not read editorials that the grass was sown to add to the appearance of the landscape rather than provide a cushion for homesick feet.

We trust that it will not be necessary to go so far as did the grounds foreman at the University of Georgia who set up the following sign:

"U. of Georgia son or daughter
Do you love your alma mater?
If so, it should be your duty
To protect her vernal beauty.
Man or woman, youth or lass,
Please don't step upon the grass."

Winners Of Local Contest



Pictured here are Glen Riffin and Beth Reeves local winners of the amateur hour sponsored by the Band Mothers Club of the high school and training schools. Twenty-five entrants vied for honors in the contest held in Caldwell auditorium. Mr. Riffin won first place in the state contest at Shreveport. (Courtesy of Shreveport Journal.)

The Listening Post

THE COUSHATTA BUS

We hear that the short boy by the name of Fred Fulton has finally given the girls a break.

And of course everyone was sorry to hear of Ronald Woodard's death.

Back to our friend Sam Mayeaux—some one asked us the other day, just which bus Sam rode—the Winnfield or the Coushatta.

We hear that fortune seems to be smiling on Randall Keator where the girls are concerned.

THE MANY BUS

We are glad to see and hear Gracie Mae Idom again.

And to hear that "Lib" Scarborough and Ray Turner like each other's company.

We've been missing Imon Knippers this past week.

THE MARTHAVILLE BUS

And now we know why Lustrine Ingram doesn't care to have an aspiring young man!!!

Madeline McCartney has quite a pleasing personality.

THE WINNFIELD BUS

We hear that several of the boys are worrying over "Winnfield's" being such a lady's man????

And why do Fred Fulton and Oliver Ballard spend so much of their time on that bus—we thought Sam was the only one who had been bitten.

Aliene Richardson and Mable Lee Ragan don't mind leaving their bus to pick a man—nor can we blame them!!!

THE GRANT PARISH BUS

Luther Sanson says that since we didn't get a heater—and with warmer weather arriving—maybe we can have a couple of fans stuck around.

And so D. A. Beltz thinks this is a publicity column—for freshmen—maybe??

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

We're just about ready to do all the things we've been waiting so long to do and talking so much about. Before we begin slinging the mud, we'd like to say that we hope the Easter Bunny is good to each and everyone.

From all reports our friend "Piccolo" is still having trouble with his women. Have you heard how one mistreated him last week? If you haven't seen Piccolo . . . John D. Bell and Marjorie Murphy "break up" and "make up" more than any couple we know. Saturday was one of the many off days and she was seen at the show with Burnette. . . . Speaking of Burnette reminds us. We wonder if a certain brunette knows she makes his heart turn flips? Lucky woman. **FLASH!!!**

Roy Lewis is really coming up. We heard a certain young lady say the other day that he really wasn't so bad after all.

Martha Files really has been stepping around. She rated both Phi Kappa Nu and Sigma Tau dances. How do you do it, Martha? . . . Have you noticed that cute new freshman, (even though she does hail from New York) Jane Joscelyn? She's making lots of people stand up and pay attention. The Phi Kappa Nu dance was the budding of a new romance, none other than that of B. Durham and Jimmie Mitchell. We like that combination.

Steve Holstein takes 'em two at a time—girls, we mean. There's something about walking around the drive on a Sunday afternoon that gets Steve, Annie Laurie and Yvonne. How was Alexandria this past week-end, Jimmie? Hope she didn't get her business messed up. . . . Georgie Pickett and "Honey Sal" Cobb are together often these days. Girls, sorry but you carried the boy too high.

GREEK NOTES

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha announces the pledging of Doris Emmons on March 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanggi (Ollie Hagood) announce the birth of a daughter, Virginia Lee, on March 12, 1937.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Mrs. Mable Holloyday (Ethel Maize) of Zwolle and Marion Dorman of Homer, La., visited on the campus last week.

Monday night, March 22, the following officers of Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma were installed for the year 1937-1938:

Dorothy V. Irion, president; Anne Butts, vice president; Rosemary Laws, secretary; Margaret Elston, treasurer; Martha Files, corresponding editor; Eleanor Williams, corresponding secretary; Mary Ida Aycock, press agent; Beth Reeves, keeper of archives; Jane McCardell, sergeant-at-arms; and Katherine White, assistant treasurer.

ORCHESIS

At a recent meeting of the Orchesis Dance Club, the following officers were elected for the school year, 1937-1938:

Rosemary Laws, president; Virginia Pearman, vice president; Melba Bernard, secretary-treasurer; and Pauline Rhinehart, reporter.

Glee Club

The Normal Glee Club, under the supervision of Mr. Paul Thornton, head of the music department, sang before an enthusiastic audience in the Jonesboro high school auditorium Friday night, March 19, 1937.

Survey Shows Normal Men And Women Are Spirited In Judgment Of Each Other

Men and women on the Normal campus have been harsh in their judgment of each other and even in the judgment of themselves. This is indicated by the classical quotations compiled in this article and supported spiritedly by the students.

Anyone desiring or daring to make further expression of opinion than has already been recorded here, may drop his ideas on the feature desk in the Current Sauce office or into the nearest waste-paper basket.

MAN A BIG MISTAKE

"A furiously raging monster is man; wretched, weak, and miserable man: whom if you consider well, what is he, but a nut."

Mary Phillips

"Man: feeble worm of the earth, depository or truth."

Virginia Pearman

"The ideal man should talk to us women as if we were goddesses, and treat us as if we were children. He should refuse all our serious requests, and gratify everyone of our whims. He should encourage us to have caprices and forbid us to have missions. He should always say much more than he means, and always mean much more than he says."

Winonah Edwards

"Man is the most intelligent of animals—and the most silly."

Bertha Crowder

Muriel Guenther

"Man is the only animal which esteems itself rich in proportion to the number and veracity of its parasites."

Gardner Krieger

"Man, an animal which makes bargains."

Margaret Cappel

"Man is the only animal that blushes—or needs to."

Loretta Bacala

"Man is the only animal that eats when he is not hungry, drinks when he is not thirsty, and makes love at all seasons."

Gussie Short

"Men in all ways are better than they seem. I hope."

Freva Webb

"Of the entire brood man is the only one that possesses malice. Also, he is the only creature that possesses a nasty mind."

Marcus Twain

"Man's the bad child of the universe; chaos of thought and passion all confused."

P. Oppenheim

J. Carlisle

"A nice man is a man of nasty ideas."

John Swift

WOMAN A BIGGER MISTAKE

"There is no such thing as picking out the best woman; it is only a question of comparative badness."

Doc Shelby

"Two women are worse than one."

Fred Berkowitz

"Women are false as water."

Sims Jackson

"False as fair."

Clyde Smith

"I expect that women will be the last thing civilized by man."

Polly Piazza

Lynn H. Cook

"Woman and music should never be dated."

Benjamin Shuler

"The Old Testament prophesies a time when seven women shall take hold of one man. That prophesy has been long realized at Normal."

Frank Pernici

"A woman is only a lesser man."

F. C. Eason

"The only useless life is woman's."

John Norris, Jr.

MEN AND WOMEN COMPARED

"Man's conclusions are reached by toil; women arrives at the same by sympathy."

Connie Doxey

L. C. Ford

"Let us treat women well; treat them as if they were real; perhaps they are."

Gerald Couch, Snookie Peyton,

K. Donaldson, Charlie R. Dupuy, Jr.

"It is because of men that women dislike each other."

Lawrence Lindsley

"The above is what egotistical men believe."

C. Z. Winters

"A man is as good as he has to be, and a woman as bad as she dares."

Bill James, Stoner Moss

Jim Tullos

"O God, that I had loved a smaller man! I should have found in him a greater heart."

Ruth Lee, Marjorie Godfrey,

Clarice O'Neal

"Frailty, thy name is woman."

Al Rodriguez

"My kindgom for a man."

Lavania Taylor

"Woman is the finest creation on earth; you can't live with them; you can't live without them."

Herb Sayers

"I am glad that I am not a man, as I should be obliged to marry a woman."

Wes Vaughn

"Man is creation's masterpiece."

Marvin Wyatt

"Men who do not make advances to women are apt to become victims of women who make advances to them."

J. Rayford McLean

"Take not the first refusal ill,

Tho, now she won't, anon she will."

Ethel L. Hereford

James Embree

"'Tis strange what a man may do and a woman yet think him an angel."

Stoner Moss, Marcia Durham, Evelyn Breaux

Ruth Fourroux, Ottie Mae Duncan.

"All men are bad and in their badness reign."

Henry Ford Glass

"Let men say whate'er they will,

Woman, woman, rules them still."

Allen Lee, Bill Doshier, C. A. Martin

TWENTY TRACKMEN GO TO S. L. I. SATURDAY



BIG ENTRY EXPECTED FOR RELAY CARNIVAL

With inquiries coming in daily about the second annual high school relay carnival at the Louisiana State Normal college here on April 3, Coach Harry Turpin stated this week that arrangements are being made to accommodate hundreds of prep school athletes at the meet this year.

The entry list this year is expected to exceed by far that of 1936 when 18 high schools from 13 parishes sent their athletes into the competition.

A total of 10 events, which will be open to both class A and B schools have been listed for the one-day meet as follows:

Shuttle basketball relay, running broad jump, discus, 120-yard low hurdles, pole vault, 100-yard dash.

Exhibitions in the 880-yard relay, freshman 440-yard relay, mile relay and varsity vs. freshman relay will be feature events on the sports card.

Following are the winners of events in the first prep school relay carnival held at the State Normal College last year:

Fifty-yard dash, Brewster of Ruston, 5.6 seconds; 100-yard dash, Brewster of Ruston, 10.2 seconds; 70-yard high hurdles, Lemoine of Coushatta, 9.3 seconds; 120-yard low hurdles, Lemoine of Coushatta, 14.1 seconds.

Four hundred and forty-yard relay, Maryer, Price, Simpson and McSwain of Bolton, 46.9 seconds; 880-yard relay, Maryer, Price, Simpson and McSwain of Bolton, 1:36.8; high jump, Edgerton of Coushatta, 5 feet 10 3/4 inches; hop, step and jump, Emmons of Bossier City, 41 feet; broad jump, Maryer of Bolton, 20 feet 9 inches; shot put, Jowers of Coushatta, 45 feet 7 1/2 inches; discus, Jackson of Coushatta, 111 feet 9 in.; mile relay, Watley, Lawrence and Simpson of Bolton, 3:37.5.

SPORTS DAY HELD AT STATE NORMAL

Excelling a group of 28 candidates, Miss Rachal Metcalf, 17-year-old Zwolle high school senior, was crowned "Health Queen of Northwest Louisiana" at the third annual Sports Day held on the campus of the State Normal College here Saturday. Miss Metcalf rated highest in posture, weight and height for age, attendance at school, health examination card and general appearance.

A total of 280 girls from 28 high schools in this section of the state participated in the events of the day which emphasized the slogan, "a girl for every game and a game for every girl" with particular stress placed upon enjoying play rather than winning a championship.

Demonstration Dancing

More than 100 members of the physical education department for women at the State Normal College gave a demonstration of group and tap dancing at the termination of the day's sports in the men's gymnasium.

The visitors were guests of the college at a luncheon on the green at noon, and at a tea in the women's gymnasium at 5 o'clock. Five women education leaders from Louisiana Tech of Ruston and six from the Monroe schools were special guests of the college at the events.

The sports day was directed by Mrs. Thelma Z. Kyser, head of the women's department of physical education at the Normal college, Miss Melba Bouanchaud and Mrs. Doris Henry Pierson, members of the department, and leaders in women's sports at the State

Veteran Trackmen Will Represent College In Contests



Here are five veterans who will represent the college in track contests this year. They are, top row: Milton McGee of Martin, high jump; Douglas Williamson of Coushatta, 440 and 880 dashes. Bottom row: James Austin of Mooringsport, mile run; Marvin Wyatt of Atlanta, 100 and 220 yard dashes, 220 yard low hurdles, pole vault, and running broad jump; Clifton Thomas of Natchitoches, 100 and 220 yard dashes.

DEMONS BEGIN SPRING TRAINING

With the return of five members of last year's varsity squad and eight graduates from the freshman ranks, the Louisiana State Normal college Demon trackmen began their spring training period this week for an intensive season which will send them into a relay carnival, four dual meets and a conference tilt.

Although Coach Harry Turpin lost two stars from the 1936 squad, Teachers' college. The attendance was the largest in the three years' history of the event.

Other health queens selected were: Fay Wardlow, Montgomery; Odell Beamer, Hall Summit; Mattie Lou Hamn, Farmerville; Dorothy Belisle, Many; Terrell Gunter, Goldonna; Paula Holman, Flora; Dorothy Mizell, Forest Hill; Lois Williams, Robeline; Helen McLean, Natchitoches; Thelma Palmer, Natchitoches; Grace Bullock, Ajax; Hazel Goodsen, Fairview-Alpha; Onita Norrid, Mephlin; Viola Walsh, Readhimer; Margaret Gillespie, Shreveport; Della Bell Collier, Oakdale.

Woodrow Turner of Springhill, distance man, and Charlie Meadows of Merryville, hurdler and high jumper, he stated Monday that the 1937 squad presents a well-balanced team and that if the team continues to improve he plans to enter several men in the annual relay carnival at Southwestern in Lafayette on March 27.

Better Men Returning

Lettermen on the 1936 team returning this year are Marvin Wyatt of Winnfield, pole vaulter, sprinter and hurdler; Clifton Thomas of Natchitoches, sprinter; James Austin of Mooringsport, distance man; Milton McGee of Martin, high jumper; and Douglas Williamson of Coushatta, 440 and 880 yard dash man. Wyatt who twisted an ankle early this week in the basketball game with Murray Teachers of Kentucky at Bowling green, has not been able to make the practice periods this week and may not be in shape for the Southwestern relays.

From Freshman Ranks

From the freshman ranks of last year Coach Turpin has Steve Harmon of Waterproof, sprinter; Frank Pernici of DeRidder, sprinter, javelin thrower and hurdler; Gordon Wiggins of Waterproof, distance man; Walter Ledet of Abbeville, weights; John Elkins

and Tom Elkins of Harris, weights; Julian Scott of Natchitoches, javelin hurler and middle distance man; and Donald Shipp of Haughton, middle distance man. Billy Parker of Haynesville, transfer from Magnolia A. and M., is a javelin thrower.

In addition to the relay carnival at Lafayette late this month, the Demon tracksters are scheduled to meet Louisiana College and Louisiana Tech at Natchitoches, Southwestern at Lafayette, and Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches, Texas in dual meets. The Normal trackmen will also enter the annual S.I.A.A. meet at Louisiana College in Pineville late in the season.

Normal Boys Begin Daily Workouts On Tennis Court

Glass, McLean, and Bell Only Stars Of Last Year Returning

Boys of the Louisiana State Normal college who participated in the summer sport, tennis, are rapidly assuming the "swift swing of the racket" by engaging in spring practice on the court. Seven Normal athletes are en-

gaging in the regular routine of daily afternoon workouts for this sport. Those men students aspiring to be court representatives for the college are John D. Bell, Malcolm McLean, Henry Ford Glass, E. L. Cross, Billy Causey, J. R. Sherman, and Edward Frith.

Three of these men were last year's stars of Normal's tennis: Ford Glass, John D. Bell, and Malcolm McLean.

Last year the boys engaged in numerous meets during the tennis season. This year the boys plan to encounter tennis champs from Centenary College, Shreveport; Stephen F. Austin, Nacogdoches, Texas; Louisiana College, Pineville; Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, Ruston; Millsaps College, Jackson, Mississippi; Mississippi

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SOUTH OF COUSHATTA

VARSITY AND FROSH THINCLADS ENTER MEET

Marvin Wyatt Elected Captain Of State Normal College Track Squad

With two weeks of training to their credit, 20 members of the track squad at the Louisiana State Normal College here, 14 from the varsity ranks and 6 from the frosh lineup, will compete in the annual relay carnival at Southwestern Louisiana Institute at Lafayette, Saturday.

Although bad weather has slowed down the practice sessions of the Demon spike men, Coach Harry Turpin announced today that the squad will be in fair shape for the first test of the 1937 season this week-end.

In selecting his teams for the Southwestern relays, Coach Turpin had a field of 27 varsity and 14 freshman candidates to select from. The squad is headed by Marvin Wyatt of Atlanta, who was elected captain of the Demon tracksters last week.

Coach Turpin stated today that he planned to enter his varsity squad in the 440, the 880, and the distance relays, the 100 yard dash, and shot, discus, javelin, broad jump, and high jump events. The frosh squadmen will be entered in the sprint medley and mile relays.

Demon varsity trackmen who will be entered in the Southwestern events Saturday are: Marvin Wyatt, Steve Harmon, Frank Pernici, Clifton Thomas, Douglas Williamson, James Austin, Gordon Wiggins, and Julian Scott, track; Walter Ledet and John Elkins, shotput; Tom Elkins, Bill James, discus; Billy Parker, Julian Scott, javelin; Marvin Wyatt and Frank Pernici, broad jump; Milton McGee high jump. The Normal frosh spikemen who will compete are: Burnell Webb, Willard Jackson, E. H. Gilson, Theron Maddox, C. A. Martin, and Hampton Murrell.

College, Clinton, Mississippi; and possibly L. S. U., Baton Rouge; and Mississippi State Teachers College, Hattiesburg, Miss.

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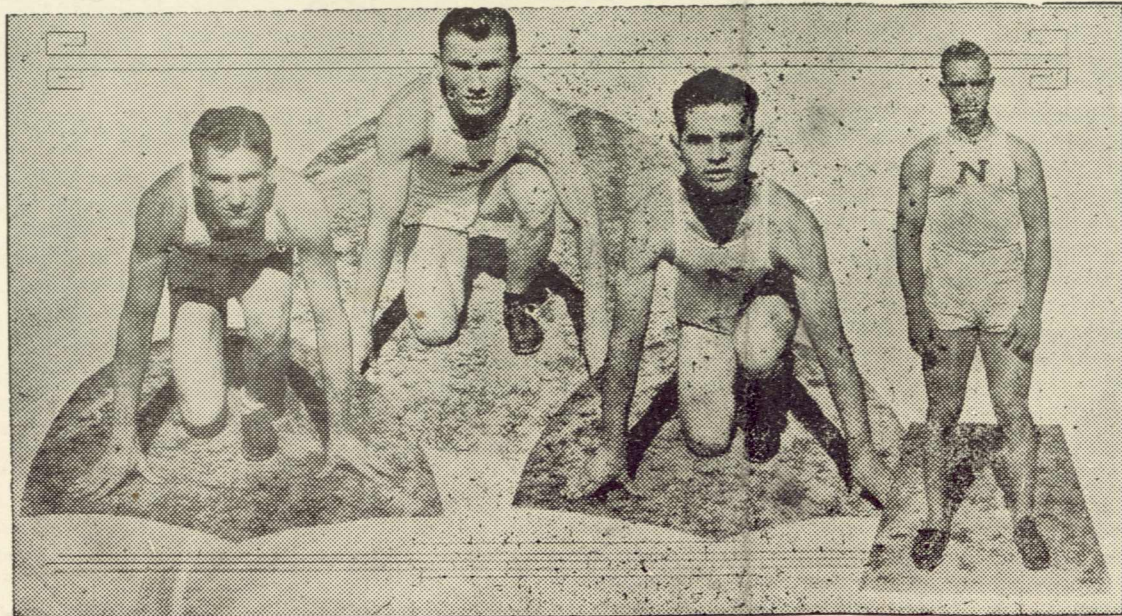
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FROSH TRACK STARS OF LAST YEAR



Pictured above are four of the men who were outstanding on the State Normal freshman track squad last year. They are, left to right: Rank Wiggins, distances; Steve Harmon, sprint champion and 440 and broad jump performer; Frank Pernici, sprints, hurdles and broad jump; and Walter Ledet, weights. These men are expected to give track Coach Turpin a well rounded varsity squad this year.

THE COLLEGIATE PRESS

(By Associated Collegiate Press)

Men are more curious than women, insist coeds in the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority of Northwestern University. Here's how they proved it:

They painted a barrel, labelled it "DANGER", and placed it on the campus. For one hour hidden Zetas kept tab, counting 106 men and 24 women who stepped off the sidewalk to peer inside.

Which, protest the males, proves nothing except that 106 men and 24 women passed the barrel during the test-hour.

Even scholastically bum college students make poor hoboes. This announcement comes straight from the Dean — the Dean of American Hoboes, one Dan O'Brien.

"Fifty years of hoboing have convinced me that students from colleges furnish poor material for hoboes. Hoboes come from boys — and hoboettes from girls, from a status that does not allow or privilege them a college training — except that of Hobo College," writes O'Brien.

"As Dean of Hobo College of America, I am aware that to become and remain a hobo one has to have these superior qualities: first, courage; second, a desire to travel, see things and learn, and, last, a strong constitution and tremendous power of adjustment and adaptability as well as a love for freedom and beauty," adds Dr. O'Brien.

"The official college trains students to fit themselves into a business world. Take them out of that environment and you have perfect fools, but the Hobo College teaches students the nobler art of hoboing—how to cope with life.

Dispairing even more of coeds, Dean O'Brien says, "they are hopeless material. Now you take regular hoboettes, they get more wisdom in one year than they possibly could have gotten from a college training or being locked up in the Congressional library for four years."

Fine Arts Club To Give Bridge and Tea On Friday, April 2

The Fine Arts Club of the State Normal College will give a benefit bridge and tea in the social hall of the college on Friday afternoon, April 2, it was announced this week by officials of the club.

Proceeds from the entertainment will go toward payment of prizes in the first annual contests in original poetry, drama, art and music to be given at the college on Monday, May 23.

Glee Club

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E. L. Cross, Glen Riggin, Francis Herman, J. E. Holly, Z. T. Craft, Howard Smith, Clark Pouncey, Scriven Swett, Arlon Hand, and Albert Plauche. Basses were John Norris, Lewis Norris, Newton Barnette, Melvin Bradley, R. D. Young, Hugh Cutrer, J. R. Sherman, Champ Tyrone, H. I. Mitchell, Tom Pinckney, Bill Causey, Paul Powell, C. R. Dupuy, Charles Youngblood, and Herb Sayers.

Newsreel Show

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Louisiana and later was invited to appear on the air through radio station KWKH in Shreveport. He rendered two flute solos. Other noteworthy performances on the vaudeville program were those of the Normal Hill Billy Band that is soon to tour the state, a dance by Frances Rae Alexander, and unique piano playing by Mr. Winstead.

Annual Graduation

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headed by Mrs. Olive Cooper.

Bishop Desmond To Preach

Bishop D. F. Desmond of Alexandria will preach the baccalaureate sermon to open the commencement season this year, President Fredericks has announced.

The annual graduation this year will be made more colorful than any other similar exercise



The 50-piece concert band of the State Normal college, pictured above, has been booked to give concerts at twelve South Louisiana high schools on a six-day tour beginning on April 19. The local musicians will play at Many, Leesville, Oakdale, Jennings, Southwestern Louisiana Institute at Lafayette, Franklin, Morgan City, Houma, McMain high school, New Orleans; Baton Rouge, and Alexandria. The 668-mile itinerary was arranged by Professor Gilbert T. Saetre, bandmaster. Following is the personnel of the State Normal college band: Flutes: Glen Riggin, Little Rock; and Georgia Dixon, Anacoco. Clarinets: E. L. Cross, Minden; George Wise, Coushatta; Lois Downs, Mandeville; Johnnie Louy, El Dorado, Ark.; Janie Jefferies, Ville Platte; Virginia Magee, Franklinton; Nelwyn Bedingfield, Shreveport; Mary McDowell, Ringgold; Anna Ruth Boydston, Natchitoches; Marjorie Murphy, Cypress; Eugenia Cross, Minden; Elizabeth Rusca, Natchitoches; Tommy Dick Noble, Franklinton. Saxophones: Jessie Jones, Franklinton; Farris Modisette, Haynesville; Margaret Hicks, Natchitoches; Lorane Drye, Coushatta. Bassoon: Blanche E. Toy, Natchitoches. Drum Major: J. Rayford McLean, Natchitoches. Cornets: Billie Pate Causey, Franklinton; Hugh Cutrer, Bogalusa; Scriven Swett, Natchitoches; N. H. Barnett, Minden; Edward Dezenford, Natchitoches; Bobby Palmer, Natchitoches; May Gimbert, Natchitoches; Robert Corkern, Natchitoches. Horns: Freva Webb, Lovington, New Mexico; Billy Drye, Bogalusa; O'Neal Burnett, Fisher. Trombones: Harvell Pierce, Franklinton; J. E. Holly, Jonesboro; Lois Clark, Moreauville. Baritones: Howard B. Smith, DeRidder; Meredith Cravens, Little Rock, Ark.; J. R. Sherman, Haynesville; Charles Youngblood, DeRidder. Basses: Tom R. Pinckney, Little Rock, Ark.; Champ Bass Tyrone, Paris, Texas; R. D. Young, Sikes. Tympani: Benjamin Shuler, Natchitoches. Percussion: Victor Mulina, Franklinton; Jack Fisher, Detroit, Mich.; Edward Frith, Natchitoches.

at the State Teachers' college here when the faculty don cap and gown regalia to signify their rank. The event will mark the first time in the history of the State Normal that local faculty members have worn the formal dress at the commencement exercises.

Music Honors

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first day of the festival, a total of 48 students representing 16 high schools competed in the six divisions offered in piano, violin and voice. On Friday, March 12, 18

glee clubs, 11 in the boys' division and 7 in the girls', and 10 mixed choruses entered the meet. The combined entries for all events during the two-day festival were 714 from 27 high schools in 20 parishes.

The string ensemble of the Byrd high school of Shreveport and the Ruston high school orchestra appeared on the program the second day of the meet as special features. The State Normal College Treble Clef Club, the Men's Glee Club, and the Band gave a concert as the climax of the two-day festival.

Judges of the contests were Professor Maynard Klien of Newcomb College, New Orleans; Professor Hendrik Buytendrop of Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge; and Professor Halph Squires of Centenary College, Shreveport.

Trophies Presented

A beautiful lyre set on a bakelite base was presented the winner in each division of group singing, and individual awards were made winners in other events by the State Normal College. Local arrangements for the festival were under the direction of Professor Paul Thornton, head of the de-

partment of music at the State Teachers' college.

Schools entered in the music festival were St. Mary's Academy of Natchitoches, St. Cecelia Academy of Broussard, Elizabeth, DeRidder, Coushatta, Natchitoches, Leesville, Ouachita Parish high school of Monroe, Lafayette, Gibsland, Baton Rouge, University high school of Baton Rouge, Evans, Wisner, C. E. Byrd of Shreveport, Louisiana Training School of Monroe, Tallulah, Cypress, Welsh, Hico, Kinder, Jonesboro, Ruston, Campti and Oak Grove.



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STUDENTS ELECT 1937-38 OFFICERS

Annual Convention Of State Police Jury Association To Be Held Here Thursday, Friday

Splendid Program Is Planned For Those Attending; Governor George H. Earle Of Pennsylvania To Be Featured Speaker

Final arrangements for the entertainment of visiting delegates and guests who will be in Natchitoches Thursday and Friday, April 15-16, for the annual convention of the Police Jury Association have been completed, it is announced by Sylvan Friedman, president of the Natchitoches Parish Police Jury, hosts to the convention.

The highlight of the convention will be an address by Governor George H. Earle of Pennsylvania, who will address the delegates on Friday.

Governor Earle will be introduced by Governor Richard W. Leche of Louisiana, who will make a short talk to the jurors.

Convention sessions will be held in the men's gymnasium-auditorium at the Louisiana State Normal College.

Mayor To Welcome Visitors

The guests will be welcomed to the city by Mayor Edwin L. McClung, Jr., and past president L. U. Babin of Baton Rouge will respond in behalf of the association.

Chief features of the entertainment to be provided delegates to the convention will be the annual banquet of the association in the college dining hall Thursday night, at which President Albert A. Fredericks will preside; a floor show and dance in the gymnasium-auditorium of the college; and a tour of the salt mines at Winnfield.

Advance Registrations Large

Advance registrations being made at registration headquarters indicate that the 1937 convention will be among the largest in the history of the association. In addition to housing the guests at local hotels, private homes in the city have been opened to the visitors. The men's dormitory at the State Normal College is being vacated by resident students, and the entire facilities of the structure are being turned over to convention guests. A large number of guests will be accommodated at the Natchitoches Golf and Country Club.

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Scribe Classifies Visitors Who Read In New Library

The new Richard W. Leche library has several distinct species of patrons. Many of these were not present in the older library. An incomplete survey reveals the following types: The serious reader, the reference reader, and the reserve room reader; the periodical reader, the newspaper reader; the home reader; and the socialite reader.

Type one—the serious reader who has always been a true library student. He is the one for whom the "reading room only" slips were designed. When cornered at a table in the east wing, he crouched behind a protective parapet of books and snarled at the interviewer. "Go, away, I'm busy. I made only four 'A's' last year and it's hurting my average." If tormented further, the specimen has been known to retire to the reserve room, where talking is prohibited.

Type one-a — The reference reader. Like type one, the lair of the reference is in the east wing, especially in the alcoves. Generally speaking, his mind runs in a lighter vein. Rather than books, he uses the most convenient encyclopedias, dictionaries and "standard" reference books.

Type one-b—The reserve room reader. One of the specimens under observation seemed to be suffering from "collateralitis." This is a disease which makes students flee to the reserve room at every possible opportunity in order to keep up with assignments. In a confidential interview, a student said, "The germs of this disease are carried by teachers."

Type two—The periodical reader. Unlike type one, this reader was not found in the old library in abundance. His development was rapid. Observers say that the capacity for development was merely latent, and lacked only proper conditions to spring into full bloom. Sound tables, comfortable chairs, more accessible magazine racks, less supervision, and better lighting—all have been of considerable aid in promoting this type of reader. Usually he is cautious in his choice of material, reading only those magazines which appear on his home table, but occasionally there develops a Columbus who takes everything into stride, even trade magazines. Among the men of this type, the lack of Esquire is seriously lamented.

Type two-a—The reader of newspapers who is frequently marked by a hungry look as he wanders disconsolately about in search of newspapers. The paper reader starts with his parish paper and moves gradually on until he reads all the metropolitan dailies. He reads occasionally for news, more often for features, and most often for comic strips. "The New Orleans States" is the best paper for the last type, carrying as it does three full pages of funnies. Popeye, however, is found only in the Shreveport Times and the Lake Charles American Press.

Type three—The home reader is observed infrequently. He slips through the front door, furtively consults the card catalogue till

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NINE HUNDRED CONTESTANTS EXPECTED HERE NEXT WEEK

More than 900 contestants are expected to participate in the twelfth annual Northwest Louisiana high school rally on the campus of the State Normal college on April 16 and 17, it was announced today by W. J. Avery, secretary of the association. Last year 828 preparatory school students took part in the literary and athletic events of the rally.

Announcement was made today that all entries should be in and fees paid by Tuesday, April 13. The dead line for all entries has been set for 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, April 14. Tennis, Volley ball and baseball drawings will be held at 3 p. m. on Tuesday, April 13.

The plan of numbering schools for literary and musical events so that neither the name of the school nor that of the contestant will be known to the judges will be used in the trials of the rally this year. The numbers will be announced by mail to each school when the entries are acknowledged, rally officials stated.

Prior to the annual rally proper, debate teams from high schools in this section of the state will compete Thursday afternoon, April 15, for the honor of representing Northwest Louisiana at the state speech tournament in Baton Rouge later this month.

Athletic events of the rally will get under way at 9 a. m. on Friday, April 16, with elimination games in baseball. Literary events of the rally will open at 11 a. m. on Friday with preliminaries in boys' and mixed quartets. Finals in quartets, declamations and extemporaneous speaking will be held at 7 p. m. Friday, April 16. Finals in track and field events will be staged Saturday afternoon, April 17.

In the 1936 rally Coushatta high school won the general excellence cup in class A with Maryville high school taking first in class B. The C. E. Byrd and Fair Park high schools of Shreveport tied for the runner-up general excellence cup in class A, and Waterproof took the runner-up cup in class B.

Natchitoches high school won the class A literary cup with Merryville high school excelling in literary events in class B. The parish cup went to DeSoto parish class A schools and to Caddo parish class B schools.

Other honors awarded in the 1936 rally here were: dramatic interpretation, Natchitoches; volleyball, Martin; baseball, C. E. ball, Pleasant Hill; girls' basketball, Castor; boys' doubles tennis, Bolton of Alexandria; girls' tennis doubles, C. E. Byrd; relay, Haynesville; boys' and girls' quartets, Mansfield; mixed quarter, Natchitoches.

Normalite Writes Dad About College Problems

Editor's Note: This is the first in a series of articles written by a college student to tell what it's all about.

Natchitoches, La.
1 a. m., April 6, 1937

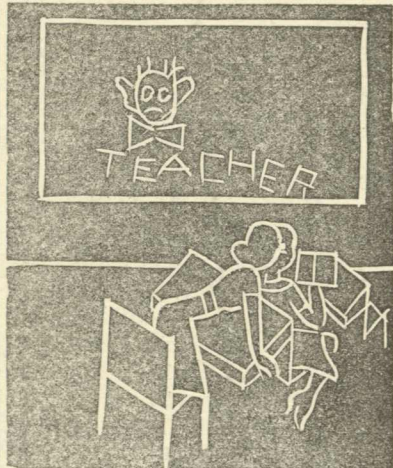
Dear Dad:

While letting off a little steam at the half-way mark in my composition of an English theme, I am writing you this post card. For the first time, I am writing a theme completely from an outline painfully made by myself (or by anyone else, for that matter). Three hundred words or less are required. I have already written four hundred and fifty words, but as I have covered only half of my outline, I must write on—at this rate till dawn at least, for I started at 9:00 a. m. yesterday. I will send you a carbon copy of the final revision of the theme on WHAT FATHER SHOULD KNOW ABOUT NORMAL; but I hope that, after the theme's revelation to you, you will not take advantage of me by asking which of the two paths, mentioned therein, I have been following.

Your son,
Fred

What Father Should Know About Normal

Fathers, it seems, are not well informed about the two distinctly different existences, either one of which their sons may be enjoying.



at the Louisiana State Normal college. When fathers learn all about the Normal, there will be,

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Hill Billy Band Is Managed by Crew

Mr. Otis Crew, Normal's personnel director, has as his sideline the Hill Billy Band and other forms of entertainment. While managing the Hill Billies, who are sometimes hard to handle, Mr. Crew frequently travels to high school parties and other affairs in nearby parishes, where merely for the love of playing good music, or for compensation in coin or ice cream, his five musicians, Ben Rushin, Arlon Hand, Leslie Graham, Tom Elkins and Melvin Bradley "go to town" in their own inimitable way.

Rushin "slaps the dog house." When he plays in more refined tones, his instrument is called a bass violin. Hand strums the guitar. When a photograph was flashed of the Hill Billies during their recent performance at Normal, Hand's strumming hand was moving so fast that it blurred the picture. Elkins, "The Yodeling Hill Billy," also strums the guitar, while he sings. Hill Billy harmony blut in a more melancholy fashion

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Davis Players Pick Shakespeare Comedy

At a meeting of the Davis players, senior dramatic club of the college, held last week the Shakespearean play, "Taming of the Shrew" was selected for presentation. A modernized version of the play will be presented in the open-air theatre some time in May.

Tryouts for "Taming of the Shrew" are open to anyone in college who is interested in dramatics. It is not necessary for one to be a member of a dramatic club.

Officers of the Davis players for the Spring term are: President, Maude Dabney; vice president, Martha Ann Hall; secretary-treasurer, Corene Scott; reporter, John Makar; business manager, Gertrude Palmer; property manager, Lloyd Warner; stage manager, Payne Mahfouz; sergeant-at-arms, Elinor Elston.

Officers for the Junior Dramatics club are: President, Martha Effie Hall; vice president, Mary Montgomery; secretary-treasurer, Cecile Pon; sergeant-at-arms, Elizabeth Daniel.

Easley Elected President, Wiggins, Vice-President Of Student Body Association

Fluitt Named Secretary-treasurer; Mathis, Jackson, McElwee On Council; Thomas and Makar, Editors

With more than 800 ballots cast in yesterday's election the Normal students went to the polls in greater numbers than ever before to elect 1937-38 student body officers, three members of the student council at large and editors of student publications.

In a close vote Robert Easley of Goldonna won over Bill Loftin for the presidency, 443 to 374, and Gordon Wiggins of Waterproof gained the vice-presidency over Steve Harmon by a vote of 420 to 401.

In the race for secretary-treasurer, Roberta Fluitt of Haynesville garnered 517 votes to win over Ann Butts and Maude Dabney who polled a total of 312 votes. The

election for council members at

large was relatively close with the three highest elected as follows: Charles Mathis of Mooringsport, 494; W. O. Jackson of Natchitoches, 485; Tandy McElwee of Delhi, 463; Tom Pinckney 423; and James Mitchell, 367.

John Makar was elected to the editorship of the Current Sauce over Al Rodriguez by a vote of 516 to 276. Winifred Thomas was unopposed for the editorship of the Potpourri.

Balloting for the various student posts was heavy throughout the day. The polls closed at 4 p. m. but the counting of ballots was not completed until 10 p. m.

Inauguration ceremonies for the incoming officers will be held later in the year at the last regular meeting of the student body as provided for in the constitution of the student body association.

The new president, Robert Easley has been a leader in Y. M. C. A. work during his residence at the college, an active member of the student council and president of his fraternity. Gordon Wiggins is a varsity football player and a trackman. Miss Fluitt is president of the Treble Clef club.

Second Congress Of French Language Sponsors Contest

The Second Congress of the French Language at Canada is sponsoring two contests in French. The first contest is open to teachers of French in Louisiana, and the second is open to French students of universities, seminaries, academies, and normal schools of Louisiana.

Rules governing the second contest (for college students) follow: Subject of the essay—

Influence of the French tongue and French spirit through the political and national fluctuations in Louisiana.

(a) French and Canadian epoch (Foundation and development)
(b) Spanish Epoch
(c) Acadian Epoch
(d) Contemporary Epoch (1900-1937)

The remarkable initiative of Louisiana universities—

Canadian and Acadian delegations in Louisiana (April, 1931)

Influence to the point of view of family, social, national, and relations.

Influence to the political, economic literary, and artistic point of view.

Influence exercised by the laymen and clergy.

Rules and Regulations:

1. Contestants must be residents of Louisiana.
2. Papers must be written in French, either typewritten or long hand.
3. Write on one side of the paper only, size 11 by 8½ inches, leaving 1 inch margin at left.

- Paper must not be more than 3000 words in length and not less than 1000 words.
- The name of the competing college student and his college must be given on the cover page.
- In each school the best paper must be selected by the head of the French department or by other competent judge appointed by the principal. The best paper of each school must be sent not later than May 20 to Dr. Paul M. Spurburn, Secretary General, Louisiana State University, who will have the best paper selected by competent judges. The best paper so selected will be declared the winner of the second contest.
- All other papers must be sent to the President of the Comité d'Administration, Leonville, Louisiana.

Awards for the best essay are as follows:

- Round trip ticket to the Congress at Quebec given by His Excellency, Governor Richard W. Leche.
 - University scholarship to St. Joseph University, New Brunswick, Canada, given by the Very Rev. L. Lapolme, C. S. C., President.
 - University scholarship to Loyola University, New Orleans, given by the Very Rev. Harold A. Gaudin, S. J., President.
 - Gold medal given by the Quebec Congress.
- Special award given to the best French essay.

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EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION

The student body and administrative staff of the Louisiana State Normal College take this means of expressing their appreciation to the merchants of Natchitoches for so kindly giving the awards for the second annual relay carnival held on the Normal Athletic Field this past Saturday.

To a large extent the success of the carnival was due to the cooperation of the local citizens. Various sizes of loving cups and other awards were presented to winning schools through the courtesy of the town merchants who so generously gave these trophies for the various events of the rally.

Because the students do feel this gratification, the paper wishes to publicly express its appreciation.

A BIG ORDER TO FILL

Next week the Normal college student body and faculty will have one of the hardest jobs a group of people associated with an institution of higher learning have ever had occasion to perform in this state, when the Police Jurors of the state convene here for the Annual Convention of the Police Jury Association of Louisiana on the fifteenth and sixteenth, to say nothing of the annual Northwest Louisiana Rally which follows.

A great obligation rests in the hands of the Normalites in making the stay of the police jurors a memorable and an interesting one inasmuch as the 600 delegates are representatives of virtually every community in the state. In addition to the jurors, the college will be host to Governor Leche of Louisiana and Governor Earle of Pennsylvania, whose addresses to the convention members will be broadcast on a state-wide radio hook-up at 10:45 a. m. on the sixteenth. The impression left on these guests will be largely the result of the impression made upon them by the hospitality and courtesy shown them by members of the student body.

The men of the college have been called upon to cooperate with the Natchitoches Committee on Arrangements by evacuating the dormitory to provide accommodations during the two day meet. In order to assure the success of these arrangements, team work is essential in all respects.

Friday will be a particularly trying day in that contestants in the Northwest Louisiana rally will arrive thus adding another large group to that already assembled in Natchitoches.

Activities next week present a challenge to every faculty member and student not only from the standpoint of making a "good impression" but also from the viewpoint of maintaining the reputation which the Normal has held for hospitality.

LET'S BE FRIENDS

Let's be friends! The election is over and the daggers of political rivals cease to be! Since this a government of the students, for the students, let's all agree to put a shoulder to the wheel by cooperating in every possible way with the newly elected students. Only in this way can the machinery of a college function most adequately to meet and conquer the problems of various student activities. Let one and all forget the hostilities of political rivalry and put away all feelings of hatred and malice, at least for another year.

Let us hope that the best man has been elected since all students on the campus had a share in the election. It was the will of the majority and because of the student body is composed of intelligent men and women, it is the belief of this publication that the "cream of the crop" has been elected. Consequently, with this belief well in mind, the Current Sauce urges the cooperation of the entire student body with the newly elected men who are to guide the state of affairs for the ensuing year.

Let's come back to Normal living and all be on speaking terms. As the old adage goes "There's no use crying over spilled milk." This is certainly applicable to the situation now prevailing at this college.

The politicians on the losing side who still want to be hostile and make excuses are poor losers, and remind one of a child who fails to get his way.

Now, since the balloting day is gone, the votes counted, and the winners announced, let's forget about political campaigns and though our opinions along political lines may differ, it would be well to realize that we are all students of the Louisiana State Normal College bound together by ties of loyalty which we will always cherish and revere.

Latest News Picture And Styles To Be Shown In Special Edition Of Newsreel Variety Program

Along with the Spring Dress Parade edition of the Normal Newsreel, a fast-acted vaudeville show, and a two reel comedy entitled *Love and Hisses* will be the features of the newsreel program to be presented Wednesday night in Caldwell Auditorium at 7 p. m. The latest electrical sound devices added to the college equipment will be used throughout the program.

Mostly in color, the 400 feet of film will have as a special close-up, shots of more than 300 students in their Easter outfits. The pictures taken all day Sunday will show the Normalites in their gay colored dresses and spring hats. The purpose of this feature is to present a style show of the new and novel spring fashions both in men's and women's clothing on the campus.

The President In Newsreel

From the debate tour will be seen shots of the President of the United States as he and Mrs. Roosevelt and their daughter enter the White House grounds after attending church on Easter morning. Other shots will picture the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, a view of the city from the Washington Monument, and numerous scenic views of the Great Smoky and Blue Ridge Mountains, and candid shots of the Normal debaters wading in the

WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB TOURS LOUISIANA

The Girls' Glee Club of the Louisiana State Normal College left the campus on Friday, April 2 to attend the Louisiana Confederation of Music clubs which was held in Franklin, La., on that day.

The various choruses were led by several famous musicians. They were Dr. Dunkley, Madame Schaffner, and Mrs. Lillian Gerow McCook, a guest artist.

On the return trip the group stopped in Alexandria where they broadcast at four-thirty in the afternoon over station KALB.

GREEK NOTES

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

Theta Sigma Upsilon announces the acceptance of bids and pledging of Bernice Bedingfield, Lois Gallatly, and Charline White.

The new officers of Theta Sigma Upsilon for next year are: Louise Reed, president; Amy Toups, vice-president; Verone Ford, secretary; Marybelle Slayton, treasurer; and Miriam Breaux, reporter.

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Alumnae Luncheon

The alumnae of Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha met at a luncheon in the Fountain Room of the Washington-Youee Hotel on Saturday, March 27. Members and alumnae present were Geraldine Lyons, Beth Ricks, Shirley Ricks, Mildred Rhodes, Faye Price, Marguerite Sutton, Mrs. Murray Woodyard, Mrs. Charlie B. Floyd, Pattie Virginia Sharp, Jean Johnson, and Louise Rogers.

Initiation

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha held initiation services for Jo Jo Tucker, Josephine Tarlton, LaVerne Killen, Angie Dell Ballard, Isobel Williams, and Jimmie Burkhalter on March 25.

Installation of Officers

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha held installation services for the officers for the year 1937-38. The new cabinet is composed of Jessie Jones, president; Mildred Smith, vice-president; Rosemary Thomas, secretary; Lida Wilson, corresponding secretary; Jimmie Burkhalter, treasurer; Marie Hearne, registrar; Manette Sweet, chaplain; Josephine Tarlton, Pan-Hellenic representative; Roberta Fluit, Collegiate representative; and Gloria Griffin, editor.

Pledge Services

Pledge services were held for Doris Emmons on March 18, 1937.

SORORITY AVERAGES

Winter Quarter, 1937

Sigma Sigma Sigma	2.69
Alpha Sigma Alpha	2.68
Delta Sigma Epsilon	2.65
Theta Sigma Upsilon	2.63
Pi Kappa Sigma	2.48

Atlantic Ocean and the Gulf of Mexico.

Politics In Movie

The winners of the various student body positions in the election will be seen with that winning smile on their faces. Also some of the less happy losers will be included in the photograph.

Slow Motion of Track And Tennis

In slow motion will be seen the star of the cinder paths and of the tennis courts. Other athletic shots will include views of the various contests in which the Normal's athletes took part during the Sport's Day program held here recently. These shots will be in technicolor.

Love And Hisses

The comedy, *Love and Hisses* will feature Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy. As an exceedingly awkward private in the Army, Laurel repeatedly treads on the official toes of the top Sergeant Hardy, who likewise offends the captain of their company. From the time they entrain through the following day up to the time of a formal inspection at Camp Klaxon, the Laurel-Hardy combination will present one comic situation after another.

Snappy Vaudeville

According to Marjorie Patterson, arranger, the vaudeville program will be flashy and go through in a snappy fashion.

The Listening Post

THE MARTHAVILLE BUS

The new lady's man goes by the name of Percy Collins and it's rumored that he prefers blondes.

We hear that Albert Bell likes little girls! And also that he is very partial to seeing his name in print!!! Is it such an honor as that???

Madeline McCartney says she has as yet to see the boy at Normal she would allow to escort her!! Now, we would like to know what is wrong with these boys, Madeline?

THE COUSHATTA BUS

We wonder why no one ever sees Evelyn Norman and Walter Hunter unless they are together?

And we would also like to know who Amy Marie Pourciau's new "S. L." is, these days???

We hear that the students of the Coushatta bus enjoyed the pleasure of a new bus last Saturday!!

THE WINNFELD BUS

We hear that Paul Powell finds quite an attraction on the bus. Could Dorothy Weeks have anything to do with it?

And we wonder why Bobbie Wise has so much difficulty in deciding who she wants to go with. It seems that while Dalton Martin is nearly always around, a certain little high school boy manages to be around quite a bit.

And so Corrine Sills and Don Turner find pleasure in each others company!!

THE MANY BUS

Few cars to take the place of the bus may be a distinct advantage where several students on that bus are concerned. And it is happening too often to be an accident!!

It seems that Stella Fletcher and Alice Smith (Sweet Alice) are vying with each other for Mr. Foster's favor???

And a Happy Birthday to Thelma O'Quinn!!!

We hear that Nelson Pollard is about to get into deep water! Maybe he had better watch his strokes???

THE INTERURBAN BUS

Since we aren't Latin students we can't quite give you the complement that Mariland Norman passed to the bus driver the other morning but he informed her that it pertained to a "Horse"; seems as though there was a mistake, for we heard that it pertained to an "Ape."

And we hear that Bobbie Bradford, Bert McNeely, and Jimmie Gray are still adding to the fun on those busses.

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

POLITICAL DIRT

As far as real "dirt" is concerned, there has been plenty thrown in the eyes of participants in the political struggle that culminated last night with the announcement of the victors. And several of the candidates who have been defeated openly or blindly may be washing the mud out of their eyes with tears.

Some of the highlights of the campaign were: The spirited debates on the floor during student body assembly . . . The "laying of a matter on the table" for the student council to discuss after no progress could be made on the issue at the assembly . . . The student council alone later debated the matter for two hours . . . And, incidentally, "patched-up" a few of the loop holes in the constitution—to go into effect next year—if they are accepted . . .

"Cokes" and cigars were not given out as freely this election as they were last year . . . Possibly that is a reason for some of the results turning out as they have . . . Results that are good or bad, according to personal beliefs of the majority . . . or that are fair, according to the few who have had the virtue of being able to take the election calmly and unprejudicedly.

SOPHOMORE DANCE

Enough seniors, juniors, and freshmen attended the sophomore dance Saturday to make up a fair sized crowd. Mrs. Hereford, who proved to be a popular figure, indicates that the following couples tripped the light fantastic to the rhythm of the "Demon Knights", dance orchestra. This may be a handy list for reference at any time:

Kern Gremillion, Zaide Boatner; Julius Bradley, Evelyn Breaux; Frank Pernici, Blanche Brown; Bob Wright, Katherine Brown; Burnette Webb, Monica Brown; Clyde Smith, Juanita Burrow; L. C. Ford, Margaret Cappel; J. B. Maxey, Mignon Carter; Walter Ledet, Velma Caston; L. W. Seglar, Marie Cloutier; Francis Herman, Eloise Coates; M. J. Le-moine, Georgia Dixon; James Mitchell, Bea Durham; Connie Doxey, Marcia Durham; John Renwick, Doris Emmons; Woodrow Turner, Martha Files; John Elkins, Wortley Flag; Robert Gimbert, Elizabeth Garland; Clyde Woods, Maude Gibbs; Abie Rhodes, Yvonne Godfrey; Vergie Box, Anna Belle Guillory; Donald Shipp, Bessie Guillory; Earl Cobb, Hilda Ann Hair; Bill Eglin, Martha Ann Hall; Carl Henry, Margaret Hicks; Jimmy Austin, Jerry Lyons; Willard Jackson, Louise Johnson;

Owens LeBleu, Marjorie LaCour; Sam Aaron, Rosemary Laws; Gerald Couch, Ruth Lee; C. A. Martin, Una Martin; John D. Bell, Marjorie Murphy; Lynn Cook, Clarice O'Neal; Glenn Riggins, Mary Palmer; Henry Hyams, Billie Parker; Clifton Thomas, Mary Phillips; Steve Holstein, Annie L. Poe; Bill Causey, Catherine Powell; J. D. Prudhomme, Morell Raggio; Lawrence Lindsley, Lynda L. Renfro; Leighton Linzey, Mildred Rhodes; Harold Mitchell, Dasy Roy; Scriven Sweet, Elizabeth Rusca; Stoner Moss, Zoe Sagera; Charles Loomis, Willie Stroud; Jack Douglas, Katherine Tatman; Lee Scarborough, Jo Jo Tucker; Kidd Farr, Juanita Weaver; E. H. Gilson, Frances Alexander; Marvin Wyatt, Mary B. White; Paul Piazza, Willie Lou Talbot; Sims Jackson, Ottie Mae Duncan; James Merritt, Kay Johnson; Harold Smolinski, Eugenia Cross; Allen Lee, Jane Joslyn; H. F. Glass, Virginia Pearman; D. Hillman, Marjorie Butler; J. R. Sherman, Mary I. Aycock; Robert Easley, Myriam Breaux; Clyde Smith, LeVarne Williams; James Hilburn, Freva Webb; Steve Harmon, Anne Butts; Bill Hart, Pearl Agnes Smith; Rayford McLean, Mary K. Williams.

NUMBER NINE

A smart Normal student visiting Pineville during Easter vacation wandered toward an inmate who was fishing in a flower bed. Attempting to humor the man, the Normal senior said:

"How many have you caught?"

With a sarcastic smile, the inmate answered:

"You're the ninth one, sucker."

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Professor A. G. Alexander, the good natured disher of literature and horned beef, who is frequently butted with humorous remarks himself, was about to become the father of his fourth and most recent child. "Mr. Alex", who denies this story flatly, manages to keep himself busy at home, you see, as well as in school; and his mechanical aggressiveness has often led him to absent-minded actions.

Anyway, it is told, the nurse tiptoed into the hospital room where "Mr. Alex" was busily checking some themes while waiting. In a soft voice she said,

"It's a boy."

"Well," said the absent minded professor looking up from the papers, "What does he want?"

SPRING AND POETRY

Speaking about Spring, here is a flow of words that fairly fit the occasion, so said Lynn Cook, last night:

Her coming was my hope each day,
Her parting was my pain;
The chance that did her steps delay
Was ice in every vein.

I dreamed it would be nameless bliss
As I loved; loved to be;
And to this object did I press
As blind as eagerly.

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While Helena (or was it Ellena?) Smith was filling her ballot, yesterday afternoon, in the open air campus election booth, she paused at the title, "vice president." "Is this the office that heads all the college vice," she asked.

Debaters Complete 3500 Mile Trip

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dio, and this occasion marked the first debate via the airways ever held in the history of the Normal college forensics.

In a split team audience decision debate LaVerne Whitener teamed with a member of the Spring Hill College debate squad to win from her colleague, Dorothy Aden who was teamed with another member of the Spring Hill squad. The women's team debated two non-decision debates: one with Winthrop College of Rock Hill, South Carolina and another against Mercer University of Macon, Georgia. In both of these debates the minimum wage and maximum hour proposition was debated.

Against the University of Florida of Gainesville, Florida the men's team debated the Southern Association proposition: Resolved: That the consumers cooperative movement should be extended

throughout the several Southern states. This was also a non-decision encounter.

Group Sees Pres. Roosevelt

In Washington, D. C. the group caught a glimpse of the President as he and Mrs. Roosevelt and their daughter returned from church. As the presidential car passed into the White House grounds, Mr. Ropp used up several feet of film with the Normal Newsreel camera in an attempt to get pictures of the president. According to Mr. Ropp: "I was so excited that I am not positive that I did get the president in the picture."

The final trip of the debate season will be to Nashville, Tenn., where John Makar and Al Rodriguez will represent the Normal at the Southern Association of Teachers of Speech Tournament, on April 19 and 20. Last year the Normal debaters were declared champions after winning six out of six debates.

NORMAL DEMONS TO PLAY L. S. U. ON GRIDIRON

LOCAL THINCLADS HOLD INTENSIVE PRACTICE PERIODS EVERY DAY FOR TRACK SEASON WHICH OPENS SOON

Many Promising Men Out For Varsity Team This Year; Squad Is Well Rounded

Taking advantage of the fair weather that has prevailed, Coach Turpin has rushed his trackmen through intensive practice drills to get them in tip-top condition for the season that will open at an early date.

Coach Turpin has the best balanced squad he has ever had here at Normal, and he expects to make the most of this opportunity. Before this year he has always had an abundant supply of good runners, but was all the field events. This year he has ways lacking men to compete in Ledet, sophomore, to put the shot. This Abbeville athlete has been consistently putting the 14 pound ball 41 and 42 feet which should gain the college a number of firsts in the meets this spring.

Parker, a junior who has come to Normal from Magnolia A. & M. Junior college and Scott, a sophomore, carry the hopes of the Purple and White in the javelin. Parker hurled the javelin 180 feet at the Southwestern Relay Carnival two weeks ago to capture second place. Scott, who is also a sprinter, can heave the javelin close to this distance. John and Tom Elkins, both sophomores, and James, a junior who entered Normal after two years at Cupiah Lincoln Junior college, are the discus competitors for the cinder-men.

As has been true of past Normal track teams, the team this year will have plenty of capable sprinters. Marvin Wyatt, captain, with Steve Harmon will take care of the dashes. Besides competing in these two events Marvin also pole vaults and broad jumps. He will probably run the anchor position on the mile relay team. Steve runs both of the dashes and a lap of the mile relay.

For the 440 yard dash, Coach Turpin will rely on Wiggins, Scott and Williamson—Williamson especially in the 880.

Austin, senior, runs the mile and two mile.

McGhee is ably replacing Meadows as Normal's number one high jumper.

Another sophomore, Pernici is Coach Turpin's representative in the low hurdles. At DeRidder high school, Pernici was a star sprinter, and with a little experience should develop into a first-rate hurdler.

Shipp, distance man; Campbell, sprinter; and Linzay, sprinter are the other members of the track squad. With this array of material Coach Turpin hopes to win the majority of his meets this year.

Northwest Rally To Be Held Here Next Week, Fri., Sat.

The Northwest Louisiana High School Rally will convene at Louisiana State Normal College on April 16 and 17.

All schools on the approved and provisional lists of high schools, which are members of the State High School association will be eligible to take part in the athletic events of the rally, as well as participate in the literary and music contests. Approximately fifty schools are expected to be represented.

Gold medals will be awarded to winners of first places, silver medals for second places and bronze for winners of third place.

Silver cups or equivalent prizes will be awarded as permanent trophies to the winning teams in relay races, volley ball, tennis doubles, baseball, to the winner in the dramatic interpretation contest, winners in boys' quartets, girls' quartets and mixed quartets, an "Excellence cup" will be given to the school having the highest number of points. A literary cup will be given to the school having the highest number of points in literary events and a cup for track will be given to that school having the highest number of points in the track events of the rally.

Writes Dad About College Problems

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I fear a decline in the enrollment figure, because they may stop answering some of those students who find it necessary or convenient to request or demand periodical donations from home. Or, at least, there will be a stern reprimanding on the part of fathers, whose sons are effecting the lesser existence on the college campus. The two existences are that of the scholar and that of the shirker. Oddly, both exist in identically the same places and even at the same moment.

IDEAL FOR SCHOLAR

The Normal campus is ideal for the serious-minded student, who enjoys first doing his school work thoroughly and aggressively, than spending leisure time in a constructive manner. He does not consider that his daily lessons are complete until he has consulted material on his subjects in the library as well as conquered the meager assignment made by the teacher. Through the varied sources of reference in the library, he obtains a deeper view of the subjects. In the classroom he leads discussions and debates with fellow students. He questions almost every statement that is made concerning the subject and he attempts to understand. He is a profound thinker.

Serious Son Learns

Physical recreation is obtained by the serious-minded student while he attends his physical education class; mental recreation during leisure. The library offers him the opportunity to scan current events and politics as interpreted by various news periodicals and is a place where he may relax while appreciating the literary masterpieces of poetry and prose or by dwelling on a new or favorite subject. Music and dancing in the Field House for a brief time are stimulating to him. Informal, aggressive discussions allow him to apply his knowledge informally. If he is an intelligent and romantic student, he may take a different girl to each of a half-dozen of the best motion picture showings per school term. Or, if he is exceptionally intelligent, perhaps he may induce the girls to take him.



Unfortunately, the college may also be a haven for shirkers. A class period may be spent in dreaming of home, of a beautiful girl, or a dinner. It takes less energy to dream than to argue, especially if no preparations have been made in advance of the discussion period. True, some alert students find value in listening attentively to a lecture, but the monotone of some of the men lecturers slowly produces oblivious sleep into even the less lethargic pupils.

IDEAL FOR LOAFER

Shirker Sees Pictures
The many leisure hours that the shirker manages to find may be sent in over-indulgence in ping-pong or other stimulants as well as loafing in the Field House, where the variety of music quickly banishes thoughts of study. If he is one who does not bother to read, he may find many pretty

Tennis Players Ranked For Posts Here Last Week-End

Following three weeks of practice the members and rankings of the Louisiana State Normal college tennis team have been decided upon as a result of playoffs this past week-end. Seven men, John D. Bell, Malcolm McLean, Henry F. Glass, Billy Pate Causey, J. R. Sherman, Edward Frith and E. L. Cross participated in the early practice which was delayed two months by the incessant rains.

John D. Bell, by dint of victories over Glass and McLean will play at the number one post. Henry Ford Glass will play the number two position and Malcolm McLean the number four. All three of these men are letter-men. Billy Pate Causey, a newcomer, will play at the number three post and team with McLean to play the number two. Another newcomer, E. L. Cross, will play at the number five position. Bell and Glass will be the number one doubles team.

A schedule for the team has not yet been completed but Coach Turpin is planning on four trips, one of which is through Mississippi and another through Louisiana for the Normal racquet-wielders. In addition there will be about eight or ten matches here on the college courts.

Following are prospective opponents: Mississippi College, Mississippi State, Millsaps, Stephen F. Austin, Louisiana College, Centenary, Loyola, Louisiana Tech, Louisiana State University.

Benefit Bridge

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Night on the lake.

The Social Hall was effectively decorated with dogwood appropriately placed about in the room. Contract and auction were the games enjoyed at the hospitality. After the bridge games Mrs. Will Pierson, member of the college physical education department, presented a floor show.

Esta Mae Wade rendered a vocal solo entitled "When My Dream Boat Comes Home." She was accompanied at the piano by Annie Laurie Poe. Miss Poe also played the piano selection which Eloise Aden entertained the group with a tap number. Lynn Cook and Margaret Cappel presented their interpretation of a Spanish tango.

After the entertaining features were presented the guests enjoyed a light course of refreshments. The pouring was done by Mrs. Earl Morris and Mrs. Edith Bar-

pictures in the library by turning the pages of a magazine. If the atmosphere of books is displeasing, the student may daily venture to the moving picture house, where on Thursday, Friday, and Sunday he may see a good show; on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday a cowboy and Indian thriller, and on Monday a chance to win enough money at the "Bank Night" program to purchase answer books for all of his college math courses and themes for his English courses. Fraternities, publications, and other politically disposed organizations on Normal Hill are the most active and discordant elements of the college. Once a student is heralded as advocate of the principles of one organization he becomes subject to more petty hatred and "rail-roading" by the opposing organizations than was prevalent during the Roosevelt-Landon campaign.

BOUND FOR HEAVEN OR—

At Normal there are two distinct places in one. There is the heaven for scholars. There is the haven for shirkers. What father should know about Normal is whether his son is following a course in the scholarly heaven or shrieking in the other direction.

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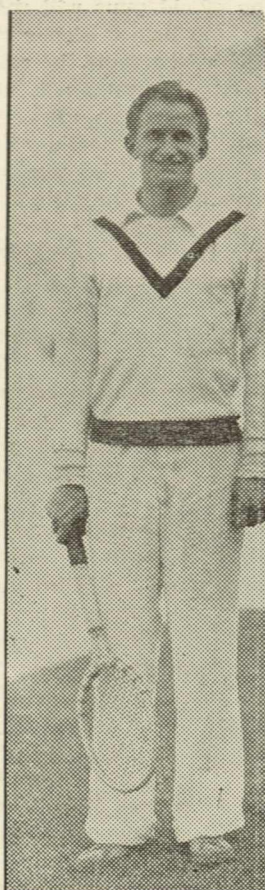
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Senior Players



Pictured here are Henry Ford Glass and Malcolm McLean, veteran varsity tennis players who have played consistent ball for the Normal.

Prizes were awarded to those attaining high and low score in auction and contract. Mrs. Betty Inabinet captured high score in contract while low score went to Mrs. G. Lawton. High and low score in auction went to Mrs. Tom Baker and Mrs. Monte Cheves, respectively.

The prizes were attractive pieces of Camay pottery.

Hill Billy Band

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is rendered by Graham with a mandolin. Benjamin Shuler, who was popular as a natural comedian and side-whistle blower, is a "hold-out" this term and is no longer with the band, but now acting as clown during the hill billy engagements is Don Raines, a truck driver.

Yesterday, officials of the Natchitoches Parish Fair Association appointed Mr. Crew as chairman of the Program Committee. Commenting about his new position Mr. Crew said last night, "I will see that the fair this fall will have a program each day, including the Hill Billies. To create interest in the fair, I'll tour the entire parish with the Normal Hill Billy Band."

TEN GAMES TO BE PLAYED NEXT FOOTBALL SEASON; FIVE GAMES ON NEW FIELD

Game With Louisiana State University Will Be First Between The Two Schools In 11 Years

With the setting of a date to play L. S. U. next year, Coach Prather announced the football schedule for the 1937 season completed. Of the ten games that are to be played by the Demons next fall, five will be played on the new athletic field that is now under construction.

Bolton Trackmen Win Relay Meet Here Last Saturday

Three Hundred Athletes From Twenty-one Schools Entered In Meet

Piling up 34 points the Bolton high school track team of Alexandria captured first place in the class A division of the second annual relay carnival held here on Normal field. Summerfield with 20 points gained the class B trophy. Byrd, 23 points, and Rayville, 20 points, finished second and third respectively in the A group, while Pisgah and Tioga gained the second and their positions in the class B division. 300 athletes from 21 high schools were entered in the track carnival.

Jowers of Coushatta with two firsts, was the individual star of the meet. His two firsts were in the discus and the shot put.

Summary:

Shuttle basketball relay—First, Summerfield (Shirey, Thompson, Baker and Strahan); second, Rayville; third, Pisgah; fourth, Natchitoches. Time—21.5 seconds.

High Hurdles—First, Baucum, Rayville; second, Adams, Bolton; third, Pickett, Grand Bayou; fourth, Uogals, Pisgah. Time: 9.1 seconds.

Shot Put—First, Jowers, Coushatta; second, Blalock, Bolton; third, Towns, Bossier City; fourth, Taylore, Byrd. Distance: 48 feet, 6 inches.

High Jump—Tie for first: Holt, Bolton; Morris, Mansfield; third, Winn, Natchitoches; fourth, Renny, Coushatta. Height: 5 feet, eight inches.

440 Yard Relay—First, Bolton, (R. Bladock, T. J. Price, McSwain, Workman); second, Byrd; third, Rayville; fourth, Summerfield. Time: 44.4 seconds.

120-Yard Low Hurdle: First, Hydebrink, Byrd; second, J. Peace, Pisgah; third, J. Boydston, Natchitoches; fourth, T. Jones, Coushatta. Time: 14.6 seconds.

Discus: First, Jowers, Coushatta; second, Price, Bolton; third, Reamer, Bossier City; fourth, Starnes, Tioga. Distance: 106 feet.

100 Yard Dash—First, Corbin, Clarks; second, Greer, Rayville; third, Touchston, Pisgah. Time: 10.2 seconds.

Broad Jump — First, Haynes, Tioga; second, Touchston, Pisgah; third, Kolb, Ruston; fourth, Sweetney, Byrd. Distance: 20 feet 3 inches.

880 Relay: First, Byrd (Hollingsworth, Heidbrink Hankins); second, Bolton; third, Rayville; fourth, Ruston. Time: 1:35.4.

Pole Vault—First, Barron, Bolton; second, Raley, Martin; third, Mitchell, Summerfield; fourth, Morris, Mansfield. Height: 10 feet 10 inches.

Hop, Step and Jump—First, Whaley, Haynesville; second, Emmons, Bossier City; third, Haynes, Tioga; fourth, Greer, Rayville. Distance: 41 feet 9 1/2 inches.

Mile Relay — First, Ruston,

Included for the first time on a Normal grid schedule in several years, are games with L. S. U. and Sam Houston college of Sam Houston, Texas. Southeastern Junior college of Hammond, La., and Millsaps college of Jackson, Miss., were dropped from the Demon's schedule to make room for L. S. U. and Sam Houston.

L. S. U. was last met on the gridiron by a Normal team in 1926 at which time the State university defeated the college, 47-0. The previous year the Demons were defeated 27-0 by an L. S. U. football team. Normal last played Sam Houston in 1931. In the last encounter with this school the Demons were defeated 12-2.

Another new phase of the 1937 schedule is the game with Tech at the State Fair in Shreveport Oct. 23. This grid duel will replace the L. S. U.-Arkansas annual affair that has been dropped from the Fair sports program. This game with the Techsters will be the second of the year for the Demons in Shreveport, the first being with Centenary in the opening game of the season September 18.

Following is the schedule:

Sept. 13—Centenary College at Shreveport

Oct. 1—Magnolia A. & M. at Natchitoches

Oct. 8—Sam Houston Teachers at Natchitoches

Oct. 15—La. College at Natchitoches

Oct. 23 Louisiana Tech at State Fair, Shreveport

Oct. 29—East Texas Teachers at Commerce

Nov. 5—Stephen F. Austin at Natchitoches

Nov. 12—Mississippi Teachers at Hattiesburg.

Nov. 20—L. S. U. at Baton Rouge

Nov. 25—Southwestern at Natchitoches.

MISS CAMELLA JOHNSON AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP

The Mattie O'Daniel scholarship for the winter quarter will be awarded to Miss Camella Johnson, of Natchitoches. Miss Johnson has attained an excellent record and has held a working scholarship for the past year or two.

The scholarship to the amount of \$7.50 every quarter is awarded by Mrs. Mattie O'Daniel Rinsland of Norman, Oklahoma, to a senior of the Louisiana State Normal college on the basis of professional ability and attainment.

(Burk, Caver, Saint, and Colvin); second, Summerfield; third, Doyline; fourth, Rayville. Bolton and Coushatta disqualified.

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State Police Jury Convention

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Program Interesting

Following is the program:

Wednesday, April 14th

5:00 to 10:00 p. m.—Registration and Distribution of Badges, Lobby, Hotel Nakatosh

8:00 p. m.—Bridge and Bingo Party for the Ladies, Elks Club. (Admission by Convention Badge)
8:00 p. m.—Stag Party with refreshments and floor show at Crystal Club. Courtesy of Louisiana Corrugated Metal Co.

Thursday, April 15th

8:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m.—Registration and distribution of badges. (Same as on Wednesday)

9:00 a. m.—Convention called to order by President J. J. Fournet in Boys' Gymnasium at State Normal College.

Invocation by Rev. John Wright, Pastor First Baptist Church, Natchitoches, Louisiana

Address of Welcome by Hon. E. L. McClung, Mayor of the city of Natchitoches

Response to Address of Welcome by Hon. L. U. Babin, past president

10:00 a. m.—Morning coffee for the ladies at the home of the President of the Louisiana State Normal College, Mrs. A. A. Fredericks, hostess

Roll call of parishes and delegates

President's Annual Address by Hon. J. J. Fournet

Address by Hon. J. H. Crutcher, State Administrator of the Works Progress Administration

Address by Hon. A. R. Johnson, Director of State Welfare Commission

Address by Hon. J. Lester White, Chairman State Planning Commission

Address by Hon. J. W. Bate-man, Director of Extension, Louisiana State University

Address by Hon. Wade O. Martin, Chairman Louisiana Public Service Commission

Noon—Recess for lunch

Board cars for Fair grounds

12:30 p. m.—Barbecue luncheon at Fair grounds, where convention photograph will be taken

2:00 p. m.—Return trip to convention headquarters

2:30 p. m.—Convention called to order by the President. (Vice-President Tom W. Serpas, presides at this session.)

Reading of telegrams and communications

Address by Hon. Earl K. Long

Lt. Governor of Louisiana

Address by Hon. L. P. Abernathy, Chairman, Louisiana Highway Commission

Address by Hon. Geo. L. Drouin, Founder of Association

Address by Hon. A. P. Tugwell, State Treasurer

Partial report of Resolutions committee

Open discussions

3:00 p. m.—Ladies sightseeing tour to points of interest.

Board cars at Hotel Nakatosh

5:30 p. m.—Adjournment

7:30 p. m.—Banquet, dining hall of State Normal College

Invocation, Rev. Ivan Huber, Pastor of St. Anthony's Catholic Church

Toastmaster, President A. A. Fredericks

Benediction, Rev. N. B. Gibbs, pastor Presbyterian church

Dance and floor show, boys' gymnasium, State Normal College

Friday, April 16th

9:00 a. m.—Convention called to order by the President

Invocation by Rev. R. R. Branton, Methodist church

Address by Hon. H. Lester Hughes, District Attorney

Report of Secretary, L. F. Clawson

Report of Treasurer, P. O. Benjamin

Final report of Resolutions committee

Reports of Legislative, Constitution and By-Laws and Memorial committees

Selection of City or Town for 1938 Convention

Address by Gov. Richard W. Leche, State of Louisiana

Address by the Hon. George H. Earle, Governor of the State of Pennsylvania

Noon—Adjournment of business session

12:15 p. m.—Board cars for Winnfield—tour to the Salt Mines

Guests of the Carey Salt Works for lunch

4:30 p. m. Close of convention.

THE COLLEGIATE REVIEW

(By Associated Collegiate Press)

"Pun Revival Week" was originated at Fenn College a short time ago by Dr. William Patterson, professor of mathematics. The reviving of old puns will sharpen the wit and lend credence to the blur which represents the calculus in most sophomore minds, he explained.

When lessons, meetings, plays and outside activities pile up on the calendars of the girls at Stephens College, the president calls a "Stop day," 24 hours during which students can do what they please.

An anonymous contribution from Adrian College: "Going around with women keeps me young. I started going with them four years ago when I was a freshman—and I'm still a freshman."

The chain letter disease has broken out again in the form of a necktie exchange at Oberlin College. Campus rumor has it that the girls are thinking of starting a silk stocking chain. With a run of luck, some hose-hoper-for will get 27 pairs.

When physics test marks skid below par, instructor John Madigan, at the College of St. Thomas, makes his students pay through the nose.

Displeased with poor grades on a recent quiz, Mr. Madigan, aided by chemist colleagues, conveyed sensually his general opinion that most of the answers were putrid by scenting the papers—good and bad.

Those of the A and B class were sprayed with "Paris Night" and "Eau de Cologne"—C and D papers wrinkled noses with the medium-strength odor of rotten eggs—hydrogen sulphide.

But the seven of the E and F class rocked stomachs with the staggering smell of rancid butter—butyric acid.

Goldfish—especially yellow ones by the name of Othello, can rarely be found flashing around a clean glass bowl on the desk of a college newspaper editor.

Old Man Opportunity beating a knock-knock tatoo couldn't even get a certain University of Texas professor to open the door once

the bell has rung and the class has begun.

Likewise, all late students are barred. They might just as well go home as try to force the locked door.

Annoyed at his unusual procedure, members of the class burned inwardly and waited for a chance to get back at him.

"We'll have an exam during our next lecture meeting," announced the professor not long ago.

On the day of the test, all the students were in their seats long before the ten o'clock bell rang. But no professor. Two minutes passed. Hurried footsteps sounded in the corridor, but before they stopped at the door, one of the revenge-seekers had turned the lock.

Ignoring the pounding, students stayed in their seats. Five minutes later they all went home.

It's not a sin to tell the kind of lie the Burlington, (Wis.) Liars Club tells, simply because it isn't a lie.

That is the gist of a recent lecture given by the Rev. Father Edward A. McGrath, S. J., Assistant Professor of philosophy at Marquette University.

"The essence of a lie is to speak seriously against your mind," argued the "Munchausen-defender."

"These Burlington liars are not seriously stating anything against what they know to be the truth. Therefore, they are not liars."

In appreciation for the defense, President O. C. ("You're Another") Hulett awarded Father McGrath a membership card, which makes him a "full-fledged liar."

PI KAPPA SIGMA

The pledges of Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma were the hostesses of a breakfast given for the actives Sunday morning in the "Y" house. Center pieces of purple and white irises decorated the tables. Irma Jane Gibson gave a reading accompanied by Eleanor Elston. After the meal, everyone participated in April fool contests. Margaret Elston won the prize, a cream and sugar

set of Postoria. Guests were Jane Joselyn, Evelyn Andress, Eloise and Estelle Guillary.

Miss Kay Johnson and Dorothy Mading were visiting alumni this week-end.

Student Opinions

April 7, 1937

Dear Editor:

A majority of the points stressed by campaigners in yesterday's election on the Normal campus were so far from the logical points of interest to the welfare of the general student body, that I, for one, saw fit to disregard all campaigners. Do you not believe that the college political campaign should be carried out with the creation of absolutely no petty personal animosities; but with the statement of broad, unprejudiced, points that will necessitate spirited, constructive debate for candidates on all sides? Really, something should be done to remedy the present system that is disrupting the harmony of college life.

The fact that animosities are openly admitted indicates that "small," prejudiced, arguments are employed in the attempt to eliminate any number of candidates from complete association with fellow students as well as from the official positions that they are seeking. Surely in any college and especially in the Nor-

mal, where everyone knows each other intimately, there should be nothing said or done that will break the friendly relation and united spirit of each and every student on the campus.

After all, the objective in selecting student officers is to create a more personal, and democratic unity with which the college student body may show that it can run itself more efficiently and satisfactorily than can a faculty rule.

Isn't this true?

Outsider "on the inside"

Library Readers Classified

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he finds the number of the book desired. He hands the slip to a page and waits impatiently until the book is brought to him, frequently using the interim for a session of nail biting. He then hurries to his room, where he reads in private.

Type five—The socialities who can hardly be classed as readers, although they sit with open books or magazines before them. Their idea of the library is that it is a place to observe and be observed. A few characteristics of the female of this species are the almost incessant chewing of gum, the frequent application of make-up, and the emission of not-too-repressed giggles. The favorite habitate of the socialite is around the fireplace in the browsing room.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR WINTER TERM 1936-37

Louisiana State Normal College

Natchitoches, Louisiana

Cash on hand \$373.00

EXPENDITURES—

December 10, 1936, Editor of Current Sauce.....\$ 72.50
December 17, 1936, Editor of Potpourri..... 72.50
December 17, 1936, Delegates to N.S.F.A..... 200.00
February 24, 1937, Gold Basketballs..... 16.12
February 24, 1937, Debate Keys (last year's bill).... 18.20

TOTAL.....\$379.32

Student loan from Spring term..... 6.32

Signed:

J. F. AUSTIN,
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Coushatta High School Wins Class A Cup At Meet

Merryville Gets Record Total To Take General Excellence Cup in Class B

Piling up a total of 102 points in both literary and athletic events, the Coushatta high school won the general excellence cup in Class A schools and Merryville high school massing a record of 105 points in both divisions of the meet took the general excellence cup in Class B schools at the annual high school rally held on the campus of the Louisiana State Normal college here Friday and Saturday.

DeRidder high school with a total of 86 counted points was runner-up in general excellence for the Class A schools and Grand Bayou was runner-up in general excellence in Class B with 70½ points in both divisions.

Coushatta totalled 64 points in athletic events and 38 in literary while Merryville made 62 in literary and 43 in athletics. DeRidder totalled 66 points in literary events but could use only 36 of these by a ruling of the association that will not permit more than double the points in one division over the other. The DeRidder athletes totalled 18 points in track and field events.

With its 86 points DeRidder high school excelled Class A schools to win the literary cup. Fair Park was second in literary Class A with 67 and Natchitoches third with 61. Merryville won the literary cup in Class B with 62 and Belcher was runner-up with 51 points.

Other schools that rated high in the annual meet here are: Byrd, 86 points; Natchitoches, 73½; Fair Park, 71½; Mansfield, 58½; and Bossier City, 33½ in Class A. Class B schools rating high are Greenwood with 53, Belcher with 51, Pelican with 50½, and Sum-

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New Speech Courses Added Summer Term

College To Give Thirty Hours From Speech Curriculum This Summer

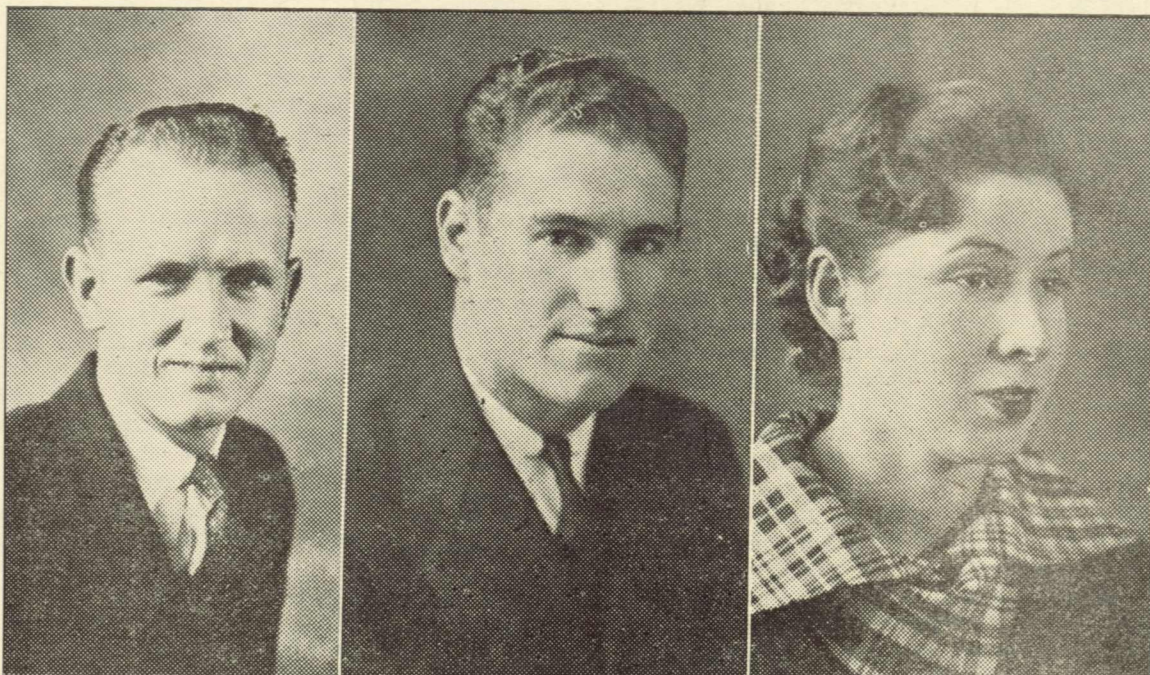
With the addition of three new courses in speech, the State Normal College will offer students of the college for the first time this summer thirty hours of speech work on the new speech curriculum recently added by the college.

Two courses in fundamentals of speech will be offered by Miss Clio Allen of the local high school faculty, who has been teaching in the English department of the college during the 1936-37 session. These courses, which may be taken concurrently, include elementary studies in voice science tending toward the establishment of good speech habits, agreeable voice quality, optimum pitch, appropriate intonation, adequate projection, correct pronunciation, enunciation and articulation, ease of bearing, and absence of fear and timidity. The courses offered by Miss Allen will be open to both regularly enrolled college students and teachers in service.

Miss Annetta Wood, director of dramatics at the State Normal College since 1929, will present a third course in dramatics in addition to the ones she now offers. Students who have taken the two courses in Acting and Play Production will be offered a third course this summer in Stagecraft in which the problems of the high school producer will be emphasized.

R. L. Ropp, member of the State Teachers' college faculty here since 1923 and director of forensics since 1930, will offer a course in Argumentation and Debate and two courses in Public Speaking during the summer session. Later, Mr. Ropp will offer a new course in contest debating and a course in Speech Composition and Oratory.

STUDENT BODY OFFICERS FOR 1937-38 SESSION



Pictured above are the new officers of the Student Body Association selected in the annual election two weeks ago. They are, left to right, Robert Easley of Goldonna, president; Gordon Wiggins of Waterproof, vice-president; and Miss Roberta Fluitt of Haynesville, secretary-treasurer. They will take office in September.

Normal Newsreels To Review All Shows Of Year

Two thousand feet of Normal Movies, containing reels from the six Newsreel - Variety Programs presented during this year, will be shown on one program in May with the addition of two hundred feet of late campus movies not yet shown. The gala newsreel feast is expected to fill the Caldwell auditorium, as practically every Normal student is to appear on the screen at least once in plain or technicolor.

No raise in admission price will be made. A comedy-short will also be shown on the program which will contain all features of the regular monthly program with the addition of all movies made this year.

Improvement Of Curricula To Be Discussed Here

Faculty Representatives Of Four State Colleges To Attend Meeting Fri., Sat.

Seventy-four members of the faculties from the four state colleges will meet on the State Teachers' college campus here Friday and Saturday to discuss the improvement of curricula in the institutions, it was announced this week by President Albert A. Fredericks.

Beginning Friday night at 7:30 with an address on "Possibilities and Problems in Improvement of College Curricula" by Dean H. L. Griffin of Southwestern Louisiana Institute of Lafayette, the meeting will continue through Saturday.

Professor John S. Kyser of the State Normal College, who is now attending Louisiana State University, will address the group on "Lower Division Work in Colleges" during the Friday meeting; and Dr. Gustav Freden of Louisiana Polytechnic Institution of Ruston will talk on "Trends in Teacher Training."

During the Saturday session the fifteen committees composed of representatives from Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, Southwestern Louisiana Institute, Southeastern College of Hammond and the State Normal College will meet separately to discuss plans for the improvement of curricula. The organization of the committee, determination of objectives and procedures, planning and assigning work, and objectives of the curricula field will be the chief topics discussed in the committee meetings.

Headed by President Fredericks, fourteen members of the committee will take part in the committee work Saturday.

Normal Address System Talked Blue In The Face

Mr. Francis Gary Fournet, hard working Professor of Physics at Normal, remarked yesterday afternoon that the public address systems of the college have been "talked until they are hoarse" during the past two weeks. A review of the activities in which the systems were employed lately reveals not only the truth of Mr. Fournet's statement, but also the modesty.

Many have been the trials and tribulations of Mr. Fournet and his efficient group of advanced physics students in the construction and operation of the mechanism that amplifies the human voice so much that it can be heard two or three miles away. Student assemblies, the Newsreel, Variety Program, Police Jury Convention, High School Rally, and general announcements have employed voice amplifiers in the auditorium, dining hall, men's gymnasium, athletic field and the academic court. Many times it has been necessary for chief student operator of the system, Wes Vaughn, to carry the equipment from one place to another in rapid succession.

"Babies" Added

The last two "baby speakers" and microphones added to the college equipment just in time to be used by President Austin at the recent student body nominating assembly, were received from R. C. A. in small parts and assembled by the physics students. That 110 pound unit is now chiefly handled by Vaughn, electrician and announcer, with assistance from Bob Jones or other physicists. It is the new, small unit that has made possible the use of an inside amplifying system. The speakers used on the academic court and athletic field are too large for inside use.

Holland To Give Annual Address To Graduates Here

C. O. Holland of Minden, president of the State Normal College Alumni Association, will deliver the annual commencement address at the State Teachers' College here on Tuesday, May 25, it was announced recently by President Albert A. Fredericks.

Governor Richard W. Leche will give the main address at the dedication of the new Governor Leche Library here on the same date.

Home-coming day and the Spring Festival will also be celebrated on Commencement Day.

Class day at the college will be held on Saturday, May 22, when Mrs. H. J. Colvin, who was recently elected valedictorian of the four-year class by the faculty, will head a group of senior class leaders in a class day program.

Speakers Bite Mike

"One of the most difficult things in the world for me to do," said Mr. Fournet, "is to impress upon the various speakers, when they use the public address system, that they must speak in a natural, low voice and remain at a short distance from the sensitive transmitters." Wes Vaughn supported Mr. Fournet's statement by remarking that, in spite of the fact that Police Jurors were well fed in the Normal dining hall, the after-dinner speakers invariably tried to bite the microphone during their talks. "Sound of the voice is made to flow through the ether with more clarity and richness," said Vaughn, "when the speaker keeps his distance from the microphone."

Vaughn Has Troubles

When the loud speakers are set up for use in the grandstand on the athletic field, connections must be made from the switch board in the men's gym, to the amplifier control board in the stand, to the giant speakers, and to the microphone. "I'd give anything to find out who has been pulling plugs out of the control board and shutting off the switch in the gymnasium," Vaughn said. "It certainly keeps me running."

Political Speeches on Campus

Two of the greatest virtues of the public address system are its use for announcements during the 11:00 o'clock daily recess, and for heralding an assembly. Vaughn remarked, "The sound of a voice revivifying through the campus buildings breaks the monotony of the day. And the announcement of student body assembly is usually good news to all students for various reasons. . . ."

It seems that the Fournet public address system has and will continue to have plenty to talk about.

Potpourri To Be Off Press Early In May

All copy for the 1937 Potpourri has been submitted to the printer and the annuals will be issued about May 15, according to statement made by the Potpourri staff this week. With more than 400 copies sold and approximately 700 class pictures made, the book will be the largest put out in several years.

Featured in the Potpourri will be the beauties chosen by the student body, and a Who's Who selected by the faculty. New features will include a novel color treatment, a definite picture theme, and a sweetheart selected by each fraternity. In the student life section, several pages are devoted to pictures made at the Texas Centennial.

Thirty-Six Page Magazine To Picture Student Life On State Normal Campus

Publication To Be First of Kind Issued at State Teachers' College; To Sell At Nominal Price

Normal students will all be able to have a scrapbook of campus life, as a novel idea for a thirty-six page magazine that will be distributed among students at a nominal cost, it was announced yesterday afternoon by the Normal Department of Publications. The new type of magazine, believed to be the first of its kind ever attempted in college publications, will be filled with pictures of popular Normal students, scenes, and activities, and will have place for personal snapshots, pictures, or other memoirs of college to be placed in the book by the individual owner.

A Personal Scrapbook

To appear in May, the First Annual "Normal Scrapbook" will be distributed in the bookstore at 25 cents a copy. The new magazine in no way affects other Normal publications. It is a novel idea intended to afford every Normal student an annual personal memoir of college days. The entire thirty-six pages, 9 in. by 12 in. will be supplied with pictures that Normal students would like to keep if they had their own personal scrapbook, allowing space for personal insertions of whatever individual memoirs the purchaser of the NORMAL SCRAPBOOK may now possess. Space will also be given for names where students may have the autograph of their individual student and teacher friends.

A limited number of the first annual "Normal Scrapbook" will be printed, so Normal students may order copies now from Miss Johnson in the Normal Book Store. A deposit of ten cents for each book ordered will be sufficient to reserve the scrapbook.

On the evening of April 27, 1937, the Lesche Club will sponsor three plays written and presented by students in contest for a prize of ten dollars, offered annually by the Lesche Club to the student writing the best play.

Two of these short plays are written by Payne Mahfouz. One, "French Leave," is a story of the early eighteenth century; the other, "Home of the Brave," is a true story which occurred during the War of 1812, and which was told to Mr. Mahfouz by Dr. J. E. Guardia.

The third play, written by Marion Reeves, is "A Great Difference," the action of which occurs in New Orleans in 1865. It is expected that these plays will be open to the public with, perhaps, no charge for admission.

Students Hear Two Governors At Meet Here

Governors Leche And Earle Address Louisiana Police Jurors In Men's Gymnasium

Governor George H. Earle of Pennsylvania and Governor Richard W. Leche addressed a large assembly of police jurors of this state, faculty and student body members in the men's gymnasium on Friday, April 16.

Governor Leche was presented to the delegation by J. J. Fournet, president of the Louisiana Police Jury Association. Though brief, Governor Leche's address impressed the group with the fact that he was earnestly working for the benefit of the people towards bettering the state of Louisiana. He is in favor of the New Deal policies which will provide for the advancement of this great nation.

After his short speech, Governor Leche presented Governor Earle who is a probable Democratic nominee for the presidential race in 1940.

The outstanding thought in the address of Governor Earle was the fact that he was greatly in favor of the New Deal measures. He fully discussed "The New Philosophy of Government."

Earle said, "the new philosophy of government is nothing more than a reapplication of the old philosophy to new conditions. It is based upon one premise which had been lost sight of in the year prior to the New Deal—the fact that government is designed to promote the general welfare. No amount of legalistic trickery can obscure that fact."

The governor said that he could not think of a single point which the philosophy of Jefferson does not tally with the policies of Roosevelt.

In concluding he outlined three methods of eradicating unemployment, (1) raising wages and shortening the hours of labor; (2) extension of reciprocal trade agreements; (3) continuation of the public works program.

Local Newman Club Members Attend Province Meet

A delegation of nine members of the Louisiana Normal Newman club and their faculty advisor, Miss Inez Chaplin, motored to Lafayette on Thursday, April 8 to attend the Ninth Annual Convention of the Gulf States Province of Newman Clubs at Southwestern Louisiana Institute.

The theme of the convention was "Learn and Live."

Those attending the convention from the Normal were: Harold Smolinsky, club president, Bernice Scheuxnayder, Raymond Szczesiul, Evelyn Breaux, Miriam Breaux, Mary Ida Aycock, Zoe Sagrera, Lynn Powell, Margaret Amrhein, and Miss Chaplin.

Davis Players Term Play Cast Announced

The Davis Players have reviewed their former custom of presenting a Shakespearean play during the spring quarter. This year the club has chosen "The Taming of the Shrew." The cast for this play has not been definitely decided upon at the time this paper goes to press.

Miss Annetta Wood, head of the dramatics department, recently announced the cast. It is as follows: Petrucio, Clifton Owens; Lucenia, W. O. Jackson; Katherine, Marie Zeulki; Bania, Muriel Guenther; Gremio, Payne Mahfouz; Hortensio, Dolph Lee; Irvin, Pat Murphy; Brindello, Durwood Bogan; Grumio, Francis Herman; Curtis, Martha Ann Hall; and Baptista, J. L. Cullom.

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NORMAL'S STILL IN THE LEAD

Again the State Teachers' College steps to the front and sponsors special summer courses.

Last year a special music course of six weeks was offered to the music teachers of the state. Leaders in this field of endeavor were secured to put across one of the college's first undertakings along the lines of music.

This year the college takes still a greater leap by sponsoring a four and one-half week Band Clinic during the summer session. This year the music department has secured leading musicians of the state and surrounding territory to go on with the work that was begun last summer.

The step toward advancement this year is even greater than that of the preceding one. This time the courses will be open to high school students, recent high school graduates as well as band conductors.

Another phase of academic development in the college is the addition of speech classes. Thirty term hours of speech will be offered, beginning with the summer term.

With these two great steps being taken the college comes to the foremost rank not only academically but also culturally.

AGAIN, IT'S COOPERATION

The administrative staff of the Louisiana Normal College is duly proud of the students for such courtesies and cooperation shown at the recent meeting of the Police Jurors of this state.

Had it not been for such cooperation and hospitality on the part of leading campus organizations and the student body as a whole the success of this convention would probably not have reached the ultimate goal of success that was attained.

Hospitality and courtesy were, indeed, the keynotes of the relationship of college students to the state representatives.

Again this courtesy was shown at the rally which followed immediately after the jurors' meeting.

The student body is to be congratulated and highly commended upon its congeniality during these two successful events sponsored, in part if not entirely, by the college.

Once more the men and women of this college acted in a manner becoming "true Normalites."

NEWS ABOUT THE GREEKS

Pi Kappa Sigma announces the formal initiation of Marion See, Ann Butts, Irma Jane Gibson, and Iris Nunn on Tuesday, April 13.

Ribbon services were held for Estelle Jane Joscelyn and Eloise Gully on Tuesday, April 20.

Alumnae News

Alumnae visitors on the campus last week-end were Mary Lee Marshall, Emily McDade, and Mrs. Hudson Johnson.

The Alumna Club met in Shreveport at the home of Mrs. Victor Smith on April 10.

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

Sigma Sigma Sigma celebrated the thirty-ninth anniversary of its founding on April 17, 1937. During the afternoon, the pledges, entertained the actives and visiting alumnae at a tea in the Y. W. C. A. house. At seven o'clock in the evening the annual Founder's Day banquet was held at the Nakatosh hotel. The program consisted of toasts offered to the different officers of Sigma Sigma Sigma, a voice solo by Mary Elizabeth Palmer, and a piano solo by Mildred Bowen. The bracelet bearing the Sigma Sigma Sigma crest, the annual award given to the best pledge, was presented to Mary Bell White.

The alumnae who returned for

the celebration were June Cooley, Alvina Good, Thelma Hickman, Virginia Butler, Willie O'Neal, Townsend, Ellen Faye Lymberis, Bill Peterson, Mary David, Bernice Bains, Anna Holmes Hinckley, Hazel Martin, Mrs. Lucille Mertz Hendricks, Katherine Adams, and Mrs. Steller Christopher, an alumna of Nu chapter of Warrensburg, Missouri.

Tri Sigma had as its guests for the banquet, Mrs. Good, Sue McNeely, Mildred Bowen, Temple Russell, Miss Varnado and Imogene Woodfin.

The formal pledging of Corinne Cook, Lovanier Taylor and Pauline Posey into Alpha Zeta chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma was held on April 5, 1937. The chapter is also happy to announce the initiation of Mary Bell White and Margaret Groves.

At a recent meeting of Alpha Zeta chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Marcia Durham; vice-president, Alice Cobb; corresponding secretary, Mary Bell White; recording secretary, Gertrude Palmer; treasurer, Ethel E. Good.

DEBATING TWO PROPOSITIONS



These two members of the State Normal College debate squad, Al Rodriguez, left, and John Makar, left the campus Saturday for Nashville, Tennessee and Mobile, Alabama where they are scheduled to debate two questions this week. On Tuesday, Wednesday, and today the Normal College speakers are debating the Consumers Co-operative proposition in the annual tournament of the Southern Association of Teachers of Speech at Nashville. On Friday they will uphold the affirmative side of the proposition: Resolved, That the Sit-Down Strike Is Labor's Most Effective Means of Achieving Bargaining Power Equal to That of the Employer, against a team from Spring Hill College at Mobile, Alabama. The Sit-Down Strike debate will be published in the University Debaters' Annual by the H. W. Wilson Company of New York. A bibliography of the question prepared by Mrs. Rita Jordan of the State Normal College library staff and a complete brief will be submitted along with a stenographic report of the debate. The publication will mark the first time in the history of intercollegiate debating in Louisiana that a debate by a state college team has been published.

Local Fraternity To Sponsor Annual Spring Dance Sat.

Lambda Zeta, a local fraternity, will sponsor its annual spring hop on Saturday night, April 24. This dance will be given in the women's gymnasium between the hours of eight-thirty in the evening and twelve, mid-night.

The gymnasium will be effectively decorated in the frat colors, green and white, with one end bearing the Greek lettered emblem of the group.

Invitations will be given out Friday afternoon and all day Saturday in the Social. Stags are requested to be sure and get their "invites."

One of the South's leading eleven-piece orchestras, accompanied by a favorite crooner, will render the music for the affair.

Coushatta Wins

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merfield with 30.

Following are the places won in literary events:

American History (Class A)—Sol Freeman, Fair Park, first; Bochman Nabors, Mansfield, second; Helyn Greene, DeRidder, third; Margie Gathright, Natchitoches, fourth. Class B—L. B. Rogers, Merryville, first; Lucille Hicks, Belcher, second; Raymond Jeane, Pickering, third; Marjorie Williams, Benton, fourth.

Chemistry (Class A)—Earl Manning, DeRidder, first; Helen Slawson, Mansfield, second; Al-donza Sookul, Winnfield, third; J. T. Adams, Fair Park, fourth. Class B—Bobby Dewel, Merryville, first; Winston Merritt, Benton, second; James Albert Williams, Grand Bayou, third; Sara Vaughn, Greenwood, fourth.

Spelling (Class A)—Nell Welborn, DeRidder, first; Merrill McLamore, Fair Park, second; Linda Mae Wren, Coushatta, third; Margie Gathright, Natchitoches, fourth. Class B—Tressie Loftin, Martin, first; Claire Nelle Gleason, Belcher, second; Lois Pepper, Hall Summit, third; Fay Roberts, Marthaville, fourth.

Algebra, First Year (Class A)—Frances Sunnell, Plain Dealing, first; Deloras Henderson, Logansport, second; R. W. Orsborn, Natchitoches, third; Quitman Williams, Leesville, fourth. Class B—Eunice Meirs, Singer, first; Bobby Vickers, Haughton, second; Maurice Mixon, Longstreet, third; J. C. Langston, Merryville, fourth.

Physics (Class A)—Margaret Ingalls, DeRidder, first; James Midler, Fair Park, second; Marvin Boydston Natchitoches, third. Class B—Lloyd Maricelli, Campiti, first; Lloyd Johnson, Jr., Grand Bayou, second.

Geometry, Plane (Class A)—Miriam McReynolds, DeRidder, first; Daisy Bell Edgerton, Coushatta, second; M. L. Lay, Natchitoches, third; Cleve Burton, Plain Dealing, fourth. Class B—Adolph Flores, Pelican, first; Harold Tanner, Grand Bayou, second; Herbert Shipp, Haughton, third; Leland Megason, Marthaville, fourth.

Civics (Class A)—Shirley Lindsay, Natchitoches, first; Bob Lee,

Coushatta, second; Mildred Rice, DeRidder, third; Alton McMillon, Mansfield, fourth. Class B—Henri Alfred Waldroup, Belcher, first; Viola Hennigan, Merryville, second; Virginia Smith, Greenwood, third; Dorothy V. Sledge, Martin, fourth.

General Science (Class A)—Grace Holland, DeRidder, second; Eleanor Stowell, Fair Park, third; Mackie Smart, Leesville, fourth. Class B—Arnold Johnson, Pickering, first; Mary Turner Hunter, Waterproof, second; Dice Forrest, Singer, third; Shelton McDoyell, East Point, fourth.

Typewriting, Novice (Class A)—Judie White, DeRidder, first; Ollie Louis Stone, Mansfield, second; Mary Elizabeth Barr, Natchitoches, fourth. Class B—Junior Youngfield, Singer, first; Doss-well Plunkett, Pelican, second; Evelyn Lawless, Greenwood, third; Mary Edna Perot, Campiti, fourth.

Typewriting, Amateur (Class A)—Mary Jane McMahon, DeRidder, first; John Goodwin, Plain Dealing, second; Dennis Shell, Winnfield, third; Dorothy Powell, Natchitoches, fourth. Class B—Bobby Frazar, Merryville, first; Jack Alexander, Greenwood, second; Winfred Cooley, Singer, third; Mary Anderson, Belcher, fourth.

Arithmetic (Class A)—Herschell Downs, Fair Park, first; Elva Austin, DeRidder, second; W. E. Timon, Natchitoches, third; Wilmer Tyler, Coushatta, fourth. Class B—Jewel Cleveland, Pelican, first; Henri Alfred Waldroup, Belcher, second; Dewey Lloyd, Merryville, third; Nash Cade, Benton fourth.

Dramatic Interpretation (Class A)—Natchitoches, first; Fair Park, second; Logansport, third. Class B—Greenwood, first; Belcher, second; Grand Bayou, third; Merryville, fourth.

Biology (Class A)—C. Starnes, Coushatta, first; Jackie Head, Bossier City, second; Guineveve Eagles, Winnfield, third; Middleton Eason, DeRidder, fourth. Class B—Gwendolyn Sylvest, Dodson, first; Robert Owens, Merryville, second; Lillian Byers, Belcher, third; Henry Butts, Waterproof, fourth.

English Literature (Class A)—James Miller, Fair Park, first; Eugenia Garner, Mansfield, second; Juanita Jordan, Natchitoches, third; Nell Wilbern, DeRidder, fourth. Class—Mary Carmen, Merryville, first; Ernestine Woodward, Grand Bayou, second; Claire Nell Gleason, Belcher, third; Dorothy Attaway, Greenwood, fourth.

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Local Debaters To Meet Loyola Wed.

The last intercollegiate debate of the season will be held in Caldwell Hall Wednesday night at 7:30 when John Norris and Gardner Krieger will meet a team from Loyola University of New Orleans.

The debate with Loyola Wednesday will be the 179th held this season by State Normal College debaters. The Normal speakers will draw for sides on the Minimum Wage and Maximum hour proposition debated in most of the tournaments entered by the local debaters this season.

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

GENERALLY SPEAKING

With all of the high school students on the campus, recently, there were many Normal students neglected—both men and women. However, we noticed that the college men were effective with the "line" that they used on the innocent high school girls, for the little tots seemed to be taking it in completely.

Tom Elkins took particular pride in his job as "matron" of the high school boys' dormitory during the Northwest Rally. The dorm was located in the men's gymnasium, where army cots were set-up. Tom expected to have a hard time to keep the boys from tearing the roof off the room, but the fellows were so tired that they didn't even see Tom, but went immediately to sleep.

Bill Loftin says that he usually gets ahold of something when he goes out at night.

DINING HALL

There is never much chatter in the dining hall. Everybody is too busy eating to be able to talk . . . A slow eater doesn't have a chance. The waitresses and waiters start to clear the table as soon as the first few leave. In spite of the fact that the usual meal is consumed in seven minutes, an enormous amount of food is used in the dining hall. Could it be that someone is carrying out something?

A DIRTY CRACK

Gardner Kreiger said that he was injured recently when he put his finger in a crack. We noticed that he was limping slightly and had a bandage on his face, as well as a friction bruise on his finger. You must have been in an awful vicious crack, Gardner.

Miss Addie Byrd seems to be always in a hurry. Anyway, she certainly raises plenty of dust.

BLIND DATE PHILOSOPHY

Charles Spears expressed a bit of philosophy about "blind dates" while he was lingering on the campus Saturday night.

"I'm waiting", said Chas., (before meeting a blind date in town) "so that in case I can't handle her for a long time I will be with her for a minimum amount of time. If we get along together, and I like her, I'll stay till she drives me off."

"I hope she doesn't expect too much from me . . . I have only forty cents . . ."

FRESHMAN DANCE

We were told that one of the reasons President Gilson was not seen for quite a while on the dance floor was that he was outside showing a co-ed some new steps.

SEAS OF MATRIMONY

Wortley Flagg and Frank Scheller are getting married this week.

Buddy Smith has been teased for more than a week about being in love because he won't eat. It is getting to be quite a subject. Who is she?

Alma Dezendorf and Lloyd Warner have been married since the first of the year.

Bea Durham and Jimmie Mitchell have been going together steadily.

Marcia Durham rooted for Pinkney during the election mightily strong. Wonder if there is any thing there.

LEFT SPEECHLESS

Polly Hudson was right in the middle of a talk in B. T. U. when she forgot it. She stopped and stuttered then gave up.

"When I left home, my roommate and I knew this speech. Now she knows it and I don't."

DORMITORY BOYS SPEND NIGHT IN GIRLS' GYMNASIUM

Fraught with the elements of humor, drama, and pathos was the eviction of the men from their dormitory by the recent meeting of the Police Jury Association. For seven months these youths had considered cubicles their home, inviolable as the traditional castle. (No reference to the local "men's castle" is intended). Then, as suddenly as an Ohio River flood, the Police Jurors advanced, and the students were forced out of their quarters.

Devious means were used to accommodate the boys. Many of them erected army cots in the girls' gymnasium. Some, who were lucky enough to have off-campus friends with extra bed space, took advantage of that friendship. One or two instances were noticed of students fleeing to the homes of their parents for refuge and for a short vacation.

Boys Will Be Boys

The girls gymnasium was invaded on Wednesday afternoon. That night the boys amused themselves by playing shuffleboard, by a free throw elimination contest, by a stud poker game, and, of course, by the inevitable bull session, unusual because of its huge proportions. Two students were observed studying in Dr. Stroud's class room, but they were exceptions which prove the rule. Just what rule is not known, nor is it considered important.

The cots lining the walls of the gymnasium gave it the appear-

ance of a hospital. An appearance rendered incongruous by the basketball goals, the parallel bars, the spring-board, and especially by youths cavorting about in brilliant hued pajamas. Frequent excursions were organized to go out to various nearby food "reimbursers". These foraging parties usually developed after most of the members were in bed and therefore were frequently costumed in pajama tops, slacks, and slippers.

No Close Shaves

Much confusion was caused by the lack of sufficient mirrors. Men are not usually considered in the class of mirror users, but how many gentle readers have ever attempted to shave without facing a clear image? Almost as bad is the necessity of sharing a glass with several other shavers. Practical jokes were in their element as they had, not only a wide field of operation, but a considerable, and appreciative audience, as well. The most common prank was the shifting of beds. As the lights were turned out promptly at eleven o'clock, some night prowlers had difficulty in finding their cots. True, some would have had trouble in locating their beds on the original site due to mental fog. Others were concerned only with the changing geography.

Even the less mercenary minded were appeased, however, by the thought of the remuneration promised by the Police Jury Association.

PAN HELLENIC COUNCIL HOLDS BANQUET

The annual Pan-Hellenic banquet was held at the Nakatosh Hotel on Wednesday, April 14. Those attending were Miss Hope Haupt, Pan-Hellenic adviser, Jean Johnson, Manette Swett, Roberta Fluitt, Miriam Himel, Louise Reed, Mary Bell Stayton, Harriet Hall, Lillian Frances Kelley, Elizabeth L'Herisson, Rosemary Laws, Dorothy V. Irion, Margaret Elston, Gertrude Palmer, Willie Lou Talbot, and Marcia Durham.

A CONTEST . . .

Four cash prizes, ranging from \$100 to \$25 and totaling \$250, will be awarded student readers of our advertisements in colleges and universities throughout the Middle West and South for typewritten essays of from 300 to 500 words on "What I Like Best in Modern Railroading—and Why." The closing date will be May 10, awards by June 1. Address me at Chicago for reference material and to submit your essays.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL SYSTEM

COUSHATTA AND MERRYVILLE WIN TRACK MEET

BYRD SECOND IN CLASS A, PISGAH AND EAST POINT TIE FOR RUNNER-UP IN CLASS B

One Record Falls, Another Tied In Annual High School Rally Here Friday And Saturday

Coushatta high school Spikemen, coached by L. C. Curry, piled up 59 points in track and field events here Friday to win the annual Class A prep school track meet at the Louisiana State Normal College. Byrd high school Yellow Jackets took second place in the Class A division with 51 points. Merryville high school, coached by George Heard, won first place in the Class B track events with 38 points, and Pisgah and East Point tied for second with 18 points each.

One record fell and another was tied in Class A division where some of the keenest competition in the history of the track meet here was displayed. Wilson of Byrd threw the baseball 349 feet to break the record of 326 feet made by Fife of Waterproof in 1935. Hankins of Byrd ran the 220-yard in 22.4 seconds to tie the record set by Wroten of Haynesville in 1935.

Following are the results:

CLASS A—

Javelin—First, Jowers, Coushatta; second, Wilson, Byrd; third, Holland, Plain Dealing; fourth, Emmons, Bossier City. Distance, 164 feet.

Discus—First, Dicksow, Byrd; second, Jowers, Coushatta; third, Reaves, Bossier City; fourth, Boydston, Natchitoches. Distance 115 feet.

Base Ball Throw—First, Wilson, Byrd; second, Helfey, Bossier City; third, Hugh, DeRidder; fourth, Seward, Plain Dealing. Distance, 349 feet.

120-Yard High Hurdles—First, Winn, Natchitoches; second, Heidbrink, Byrd; third, Jones, Coushatta; fourth, Morris, Mansfield. Time, 17 seconds.

220-Yard Low Hurdles—First, Heidbrink, Byrd; second, Jones, Coushatta; third, Boydston, Natchitoches; fourth, Cryar, DeRidder. Time, 27 5-10 seconds.

Hop Step and Jump—First, Emmons, Bossier City; second, Perry, Coushatta; third, Phillip, Plain Dealing; fourth, Brothers, Mansfield. Distance, 42 feet, 8 inches.

Running High Jump—First, Burgess, Mansfield; second, Holland, Plain Dealing; third, McDermott, Bossier City; fourth, Wilson, Byrd. Height, 5 feet 8 1/2 inches.

Mile Run—First, Jones, Coushatta; second, Bonds, Bossier City; third, Aldredge, Natchitoches; fourth, Russ, Byrd. Time, 5 min. 4 seconds.

220-Yard Dash—First, Hankins, Byrd; second, Hunter, Coushatta; third, Block, Natchitoches; fourth, Southerland, Bossier City. Time, 22.4 seconds. Tied record.

100-Yard Dash—First, Hankins, Byrd; second, Hunter, Coushatta; third, Hernandez, DeRidder; fourth, Southerland, Bossier City. Time 10.2 seconds.

Pole Vault—First, Jowers, Coushatta; second, Gilmore, Byrd; third, Denson, Bossier City; fourth, Morris, Mansfield. Distance, 10 feet 8 inches.

440-Yard Dash—First, Penny, Coushatta; second, Bird, Byrd; third, Rowe, Bossier City; fourth, Phillips, Plain Dealing. Time 53.5.

880-Yard Dash—First, Hones, Coushatta; second, Lee, Byrd; third, McDermott, Bossier City; fourth, Moore, DeRidder. Time, 2:9.9.

Running Broad Jump—First, Goss, Vivian; second, Phillips, Plain Dealing; third, Penney, Coushatta; fourth, Hollingsworth, Byrd. Distance, 20 feet 1 inch.

Shot Put—First, Jowers, Cou-

shatta; second, Byrd; third, Bossier City; fourth, Plain Dealing. Distance, 48 feet 5 3-4 inches.

Mile Relay—First, Coushatta; second, Byrd; third, Bossier City; fourth, Plain Dealing. Time: 3:37.5.

CLASS B—

Discus—First, Allums, East Point; second, Neely, Merryville; Tanner, Summerfield; fourth, Cooper, Grand Bayou. Distance, 106 feet, 4 1/2 inches.

220-Yard Low Hurdles—First, Pierce, Pisgah; second, Posey, Merryville; third, Fowler, Martin; fourth, Boughton, Summerfield. Time, 29 seconds.

Hop, Step and Jump—First, Touchstone, Pisgah; second, Loftin, Martin; third, Arledge, Merryville; fourth, Parkham, Rocky Mount. Distance, 40 feet, 3 1/4 inches.

Javelin—First, Stockstill, Waterproof; second, Crawford, East Point; third, Rollins, Doyline; fourth, Quaidy, Merryville. Distance, 147 feet, 7 inches.

Base Ball Throw: First, Matlock, Greenwood; second, Crawford, East Point; third, Rollins, Doyline; fourth, Neely, Grand Bayou. Distance, 346 feet 8 inches.

440-Yard Dash—First, Posey, Merryville; second, Harvell, Doyline; third, Allums, East Point; fourth, Allums, Grand Bayou. Time, 53.9 seconds.

Pole Vault—First, Lee, Haughton; second, Rankin, Pelican and Casper, Grand Bayou, tied; fourth, Raley, Martin. Height, 11 feet 9 inches.

120-Yard High Hurdles—First, Cagle, Merryville; second, Dunn, Doyline; third, Boughton, Summerfield; fourth, Serkes, Rocky Mount. Time, 18.8 seconds.

Mile Run—First, Parkenson, Rocky Mount; second, Brunner, Houghton; third, Picket, Grand Bayou; Dewey, Merryville. Time, 4:53.

Running High Jump—First, Grantham, Singer and Cooper, Grand Bayou, tied for first; second, Fowler, Martin; third, Dale, Provencal. Height, 5 feet 3 inches.

220-Yard Dash—First, Corbin, Clarks; second, Touchtown, Pisgah; third, Phillips, Rocky Mount; fourth, Thompson, Summerfield. Time, 22.9 seconds.

100-Yard Dash—First, Corbin, Clarks; second, Touchtown, Pisgah; third, Phillips, Rocky Mount; fourth, Seabough, Benton. Time, 10.3 seconds.

880-Yard Dash—First, Pickens, Merryville; second, Wilson, Singer; third, Walker, Waterproof; fourth, Gibbons, Benton. Time, 2:11.8.

Running Broad Jump—First, Phillips, Rocky Mount; second, Wiggins, Waterproof; third, Touchton, Pisgah; fourth, Loftin,

State Supervisor Of Health To Teach In Summer Session

State Normal College is especially fortunate in enlisting for its Summer School faculty Mr. Jess W. Hair, State Supervisor of Health, Physical and Safety Education of the State of Louisiana.

The State Department of Education, alive to the growing interest in Health and Physical Education, has incorporated a well-developed program for the schools of Louisiana to apply, and has required the teacher-training institutions of the State to prepare their graduates for the field in these subjects.

The State Normal has had to modify its courses only slightly if any but has now entered them in all curriculums preparing teachers. As, many of the teachers in the field return for summer courses, there will be offered a splendid opportunity for them to make up any deficiency in their credits in Health and Physical Education, as well as for students in course to schedule them.

Methods In Health

Mr. Hair will give a course in Materials and Methods in Health Education, a course in Principles, Organization and Management of Physical Education which is orientation course in Physical Education) for men, and a course in team games of intramural athletics. These courses will run for four and a half weeks.

Mrs. Kyser, one of the State's leaders in Health Education, and in rational athletics for high school girls, will offer her courses, as also will Miss Bouanchaud.

Turpin to go to L. S. U.

Coach Turpin will enter L. S. U. for the summer session, working on his advanced degree, but Coach Aillet will handle the requirements.

Dr. C. C. Stroud of the Department will spend the major part of the summer in Boston, attending lectures and clinics relating to health in Boston University and in several of Boston's hospitals. It is possible that he will give his courses in First Aid during the first half of the session. Swimming, Boating, Golf, Baseball will be stressed as usual, as also will be a theory and practice course in fundamentals of Football by Coach Aillet, who piloted Haynesville's Golden Tornado to several state championships.

Martin. Distance, 20 feet 1 inch.

Shot Put—First, Crawford, East Point; second, Neely, Merryville; third, Stockstill, Waterproof; fourth, Lee, Houghton. Distance, 46 feet 2 inches.

Mile Relay—First, Merryville; second, Singer; third, Grand Bayou; fourth, Summerfield. Time 3:47.6.

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Byrd Jackets Win Baseball Crown At Rally

After defeating Greenwood 4 to 1 in the semi-final game, the Byrd high school Jackets of Shreveport trounced the DeRidder high Lions 7 to 2 in the final game to win the championship of the annual baseball tourney staged at the Louisiana State Normal college here Friday and Saturday. DeRidder entered the final after nosing out the Fair Park Indians of Shreveport, 5 to 4.

The semi-final encounter between Byrd and Greenwood was a pitchers' duel with Stiger of Greenwood and Wilson of the Yellow Jackets hurling superbly. In the last of the fifth with the score one-all, Stiger, who pitched two games Friday, weakened and Byrd batted in three runs to take the lead and cinch the game.

The semi-final game between Fair Park and DeRidder was also a close contest, DeRidder winning out in the last inning by pushing across two runs to overcome Fair Park's one run lead. Hernandez started DeRidder's rally in the last inning when he walked and moved to second on Cryars' single. After a double steal had advanced these men a base, Alford singled and Hernandez scored to the count. Hicks, next Dragon batsman, singled over first to score Alford with the winning run.

In the final game DeRidder took a 2 to 0 lead in the first inning and led until the fourth when Byrd's batsmen pounded across three runs after Hendricks, Byrd catcher, opened the scoring with a home run. The Byrd men increased their lead to four runs in the next inning by scoring three times. In the sixth they scored one to make the final score 7 to 2.

Following a shaky first inning when he walked one, hit one and allowed one hit, Wilson, Byrd hurler, pitched splendidly, holding the Dragons to one hit and striking out ten players. But for his wildness and an error, Wilson would have had a shutout.

DEMON TRACKMEN TO MEET SOUTHWESTERN, LA. COLLEGE ON CINDER PATH SATURDAY

Saturday Coach Turpin will take his tracksters to Lafayette where they will engage in a triangular meet with Louisiana College and Southwestern for their first conference competition of the 1937 season.

Earlier in the year the Demons entered the Southwestern Relay Carnival, but since they had only one week of practice they cannot be gauged by their work in this meet.

Demon Tennis Players Tie La. College In Match

The Normal racquet wielders journeyed to Pineville, last Friday where they met the Louisiana College net team in six matches, of which three were won.

John D. Bell the number one netman on the Demons squad, won his match against Crowell of the Wildcats, 6-4; 6-4. Malcolm McClean, playing at the number four position, won his match, 8-6, 6-2. The other Demon victory came in the final match of the day when McClean and Causey of the Normal team defeated the Louisiana College doubles team 4-6, 6-0, 9-7.

Henry F. Glass lost his two set match, 6-4, 6-3, to Kirkpatrick the number two man of the Wildcats team. Billie Pate Causey played his first match as a varsity member of the tennis team and was defeated 6-1, 6-2. Causey played the number three position against Hixson.

Louisiana College took the number one doubles match when Kirkpatrick and Crowell defeated Bell and Glass, 6-2, 6-1.

The Demons will meet the Louisiana College netmen in a return match here on the home courts April 28.

The entire Demon squad has been working hard and intensively, for they believe they have the material to carry them a long way. Wyatt, captain and spark plug of the 1937 thin-clads will bring his team a good many points in competition this year. Aiding him will be a host of other trackmen who according to Coach Turpin are one of the best balanced squads he has coached here at Normal.

Southwestern is always a strong foe in the cinder-path and reports from the South Louisiana college point to another strong team for the 1937 season. The Demons' other opponent in the meet Saturday, Louisiana College, also boasts a formidable track squad. Chief among their contestants is Hart, star shot putter, who gets in the neighborhood of 50 feet with his puts. Crowell, javelin thrower and broad jumper, is the other star that the Wildcats will rely on for points in the meet.

Coach Turpin will depend on Billie Parker to match Crowell's heaves in the javelin throws and on Ledet to cope with Hart in the shot put.

Members of the squad who will make the trip to Lafayette are: Wyatt, Harmon, Pernici, Thomas, Scott, Austin, Shipp, Williamson, Wiggins, Parker, Elkins, Ledet, Hart, McGhee, James and Lindzay. These are the varsity men. The freshmen squad is composed of Jackson, Webb, Murrell, Creighton, Stansbury, Martin, Perkins, Hunter, and Hicks.



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wood, fourth.

Cotton School Dress (Class A)—Marjorie Frusha, DeRidder, first; Mary Bolden, Mansfield, second; Elaine Killen, Natchitoches, third; Blanche Jewel Nelson, Fair Park, fourth. Class B—Marvalee Young, Merryville, first; Shirley Rachal, Campti, second; Florence Cooley, Singer, third; Jane Pardue, Belcher, fourth.

Cotton Graduation Dress (Class A)—Nannie Belle Graham, Natchitoches, first; Helen Christoff, Plain Dealing, second; Jane Hammer, Mansfield, third; Mary Lemoyne, Coushatta, fourth. Class B—Chester Hobson, Pelican, first; Louise Cochran, Merryville, second; Roxie Blankenship, Ajax, third; Agnes Downs, Singer, fourth.

Clothing (Class A)—Rosemary Scruggs, Fair Park, first; Gertrude Bolden, Mansfield, second; Mary Mangana, DeRidder, third; Lurine Jones, Logansport, fourth. Class B—Allen Moody, Campti, first; Johnnie Stark, Merryville, second; Ester Cornwell, Singer, third; Iris Taylor, Greenwood, fourth.

Latin, First Year (Class A)—Olivia Bott, Fair Park, first; Ardath Fory, Mansfield, second; Eugene Beck, Winnfield, third; Emily Grace Jones, Natchitoches, fourth. Class B—Johnette Adger, Belcher, first; Sara Vaughn, Greenwood, second.

Latin, Second Year (Class A)—Claude Hale, Fair Park, first; Ada Lee Ricks, Mansfield, second; Opal Becom, Plain Dealing, third; Bernice Holland, DeRidder, fourth. Class B—Lorraine Cox, Belcher, first; Winston Poe, Waterproof, second; Adaline McDade, Elm Grove, third; Eddie Vae Loeck, Benton, fourth.

French, First Year (Class A)—Helen Thompson, DeRidder, first; Louise Leurs, Fair Park, second; Thomas McKinnie, Mansfield, third; Sara Mae Gallion,

TWO GOVERNORS SPEAK HERE



(Photo by D. W. Scott—Courtesy of The Shreveport Times.)

Pictured above are the Governors of two great states as they appeared in addresses given before the annual Louisiana Police Jury Association meeting in the Men's Gymnasium of the Louisiana State Normal College, Friday, April 16. They are, left, Governor George H. Earle of Pennsylvania and Governor Richard W. Leche of Louisiana. Both governors praised the Roosevelt Administration in their addresses before the Louisiana Jurors. Governors Earle and Leche were guests of President and Mrs. Albert A. Fredericks during their stay on the State Teachers' College campus. Governor Earle flew here from Pennsylvania in his plane.

Natchitoches, fourth. Class B—Williamson, Grand Bayou, second. Adolph Flores, Pelican, first; Doris Rachal, Merryville, second; Harold Tanner, Grand Bayou, third.

French, Second Year (Class A)—Sidney Gremillion, Fair Park, first; Lena Mae Berry, DeRidder, second; Faye Richardson, Mansfield, third. Class B—Billy Sims, Merryville, first; James Albert

European History (Class A)—Earl Nunley, Logansport, first; Daisy Belle Edgerton, Coushatta, second; Nelle Cox, Plain Dealing, fourth. Class B—Aaron Stiles, Longstreet, first; Mary Ruth Walters, Dodson, second; Gladys Williams, Greenwood, third; Opal Crittenden, Provencal, fourth.

Home Management (Class A)—Lois Bailey, DeRidder, first; Frances Rae Alexander, Natchitoches, second; Ruth Madden, Coushatta, third; Lucy Livingston, Leesville, fourth. Class B—Lillie Rae Stiles, Longstreet, first; Dale Harlon, Pelican, second; Hazel Oakes, Pickering, third; Ruth Carter, Greenwood, fourth.

Second Year Algebra (Class A)—Marvin Boydston, Natchitoches, first; Joe Rice Ferguson, Leesville, second; Johnnie Lee O'Neal, Fair Park, third; Arthur Jacobs, Mansfield, fourth. Class B—Vivian Buckhalter, Pelican, first; H. C. Headrick, Longstreet, second; Anna Belle Jackson, Greenwood, third.

Foods (Class A)—Edith Claire Doram, Fair Park, first; Sara Helene Solley, Coushatta, second; Joy Lee Davis, Leesville, third; Mary Alice Miller, Logansport, fourth. Class B—Arnina Adcock, Belcher, first; Mildred Davis, Dodson, second; Adona Pfost, Greenwood, third; Mildred Rains, Grand Bayou, fourth.

English Pronunciation, Class A—Mary Ellen Caraway, Logansport, first; John Scott, Byrd, second; Murrell McLemore, Fair Park, third; Nugent Harrison, Plain Dealing, fourth.

English Pronunciation, Class B—Mariam Walters, Belcher, first; Durard Phares, Pelican, second; Dorothy Davis, Merryville, third; Mary Elizabeth Harp, Grand Bayou, fourth.

Bookkeeping, Class A—Dorothy Warren, Coushatta, first; John Lee Horton, Winnfield, second; Arthur Williams, Natchitoches, third; Cornelia Huffman, Fair Park, fourth. Bookkeeping, Class B—Bobby Farar, Merryville, first; Esther Cornwell, Singer, second; Annie Bell Land, Belcher, third; Pat Chamberlain, Pelican, fourth.

Stenography (Novice), Class A—Margie Gathright, Natchitoches, first; Lucile Johnson, DeRidder, second; Maurice Allen, Leesville, third; Wanda Ann Mercer, Winnfield, fourth.

Stenography (Novice), Class B—Ray Pierce, Singer, first; Alton Wayne Young, Merryville, second; Gertrude Lawson, Hall Summit, third; Margaret Jones, Greenwood, fourth.

Stenography (Amateur), Class A—Evelyn Scott, Leesville, first; Helen Greener, DeRidder, second; Dennis Shell, Winnfield, third.

English Composition, Class A—Walter Lowrey, Mansfield, first; Eloise Loftin, Fair Park, second; Dorothy Royston, Natchitoches, third; Frank Massingill, Coushatta, fourth.

English Composition, Class B—Virginia Neeson, Benton, first; Lavera Moore, Dodson, second; Trudie Jennings, Ajax, third; Lucille Hicks, fourth.

Girls' Quartet, Class A—DeRidder, first; Many, second; Leesville, third; Mansfield, fourth. Class B—Pelican, first; Elm Grove, second; Greenwood, third; Hall Summit, fourth.

Boys' Declamation, Class A—Andrew Hill, Byrd, first; Pittman Johnson, Natchitoches, second; Edgar Caraway, Logansport, third; J. D. Wagnon, DeRidder, fourth. Class B—Henry Pickett, Grand Bayou, first; Cecil Bland, Jr., Greenwood, second; Lovie Pennington, Dodson, third; Alton Wells, Ajax, fourth.

Boys' Quartet, Class A—Mansfield, first; DeRidder, second; Coushatta, third. Class B—Pickering, first; Grand Bayou, second; Hall Summit, third; Pelican, fourth.

Girls' Declamation, Class A—Shirley Potts, Natchitoches, first; Myrth Stickleland, Mansfield, second; Wanda Ann Mercer, Many, fourth. Class B—Jane Ann Gleason, first; Evalyn Lawless, Greenwood, second; Mildred Riley, Grand Bayou, third; Billy Sims, Merryville, fourth.

Mixed Quartet, Class A—DeRidder, first; Mansfield, second; Coushatta, third; Winnfield, fourth. Class B—Pelican, first; Grand Bayou, second; Hall Summit, third; Pickering, fourth.

Extemporaneous Speaking, Class A—Jene Hudson, Byrd, first; Carlton Graff, Fair Park, second; J. D. Wagnon, DeRidder, third; Jas. Eford, Natchitoches, fourth. Class B—James Albert Williams, Grand Bayou, first; Bobby Dewey, Merryville, second; Elbert Harris, Pelican, third; Marjorie Durr, Ajax, fourth.

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Local Debaters Retain Championship Of South In Annual Speech Meet

Rodriguez and Makar Tie for First Place at
Nashville; Accorded National
Recognition in Mobile Debate

To retain the Championship of the South, two college debaters defeated leading Southern universities at the Southern Association of Teachers of Speech Debate Tournament held in Nashville, Tennessee on April 20, 21, and 22. National recognition was given the debate squad when a debate on the sit-down strike controversy was staged in Mobile, Alabama against Spring Hill college. This debate stenographically recorded will be published in the University Debaters' Annual.

At the Nashville tournament Al Rodriguez and John Makar won seven debates to tie for the championship with University of Florida and Oklahoma State college. Last season the Makar-Garrett-Maddox combination, alternatnig, won six victories to win out-right the championship of the South. Of the seven wins this season six of them were taken from the following schools: L. S. U., Baylor U., the Normal debaters met and defeated Baylor twice, Furman U., Stetson U., and Alabama U., while the seventh win was taken from Oklahoma State.

The question for debate was "Resolved, That the Consumers Cooperative movement should be extended throughout the several Southern states." The debaters defended both the affirmative and negative of the proposition.

The sit-down strike debate held in Mobile, Alabama when published in the 1937 edition of the University Debaters Annual by the Wilson Publishing Company, will place the college side by side with such universities as: Harvard, Northwestern, Yale, Wisconsin, and Cambridge and Oxford of England.

In the sit-down strike argument Makar and Rodriguez upheld the affirmative of the proposition: "Resolved: That the sit-down strike is labor's best means of achieving bargaining power equal to that of the employer", while Jim Moore and John Bacon of Spring Hill college defended the negative.

This 1600 mile tour marked the end of the current debate season.

Payne Mahfouz Wins First Place, Marion Reeves Second In Annual Lesche Club Contest At Normal

Gripping the audience with its dramatic intensity, the play "Home of the Brave", written and directed by Payne Mahfouz took first place in the Lesche Award Contest in Caldwell Hall Auditorium, Tuesday, April 27, at 7:30 p. m. Second place went to "A Great Difference", a play by Miss Marion Reeves, while Payne Mahfouz also captured third place with his play "French Leave".

The prize winning play, "Home of the Brave", was the story of an adopted American who proved his loyalty to his new country by refusing to give the British soldiers certain important information, although his refusal resulted in his being severely tortured. A light-house keeper's lonely home on Cat Island was the scene of the action, which occurred during the War of 1812. Juan Crevas, the Spaniard who proved his loyalty to America, was skillfully played by Mahfouz. He was ably supported by Miss Marcia Durham, in the role of his wife, Marie Crevas; Miss Billie Cheves as his daughter, Chiquita; and W. O. Jackson as Lieutenant Grey of the British Navy. The play was marked by human interest and a dramatic rise to a startling climax. Its merits were enhanced by the capable performance.

The winning play was of particular interest to the local audience in view of the fact that it was based upon a true incident on Cat Island off the coast of Mississippi during the War of 1812 with Juan Crevas, the part played by Mahfouz, being the great-great-grandfather of the

late Dr. J. E. Guardia. Mahfouz was told the story by Dr. Guardia just a few days before the latter's death on February 3.

The second prize play, "A Great Difference", by Miss Marion Reeves, was almost as effective as the first. It was the story of a southerner who took her life when she learned that she should not marry because her mother was an octoroon. Miss Gertrude Pammer gave a fine interpretation of the leading role. Other players were W. O. Jackson as Ann's lover, Clifton Thomas as her foster father, and Miss Martha Ann Hall as "Mammy." The drama strikingly presented one aspect of the race problem in the South at the time of the Civil War.

"French Leave" by Mahfouz, a charming story of the escape of St. Denis, founder of Natchitoches, from a Mexican prison with the help of Manuella, his young wife, won third place. The play gained interest by having its setting within the prison walls. The cast included; Jim Bell as St. Denis, Marjorie LaCour as his wife, Manuella, Pat Murphy as the vanquished suitor, Senor Amaya, Harold Mitchell as Senor Gomez, and J. L. Collum as Pedro, the jailor. Collum's performance was especially noteworthy.

This year marked the thirteenth Lesche Award Contest. The contest is sponsored annually by the Lesche club, and is open to all college students. Its purpose is to encourage young writers to use the wealth of material connected (Continued on last page)

HONORED BY FACULTY



These seniors have been named to receive the two high honors awarded annually by the faculty. Mrs. H. J. Colvin, left, has been elected valedictorian of the senior class; and Mrs. Ethel Holder has been awarded the \$270 scholarship to Louisiana State University.



Class Officers For New Session Are Being Named

The election of class officers for the school year 1937-38 is now in progress. These elections are being held in Caldwell Hall auditorium.

Senior class officers were chosen in an election held yesterday during the noon hour. The class president is Wayne Givens, with Bobby Jones, vice president; and Jessie Jones, secretary-treasurer.

Officers for the Junior class will be elected today at twelve-thirty while sophomore officers will be chosen tomorrow at the same hour.

Officer Visits Fraternity Men In Tour Of South

Nu chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity was honored last week by a visit from T. M. Hutsell, representative of the Grand Council, and secretary-treasurer of the national fraternity. Mr. Hutsell was accompanied by Dr. Ellis, a fraternity brother and instructor at Missouri State Teachers' college.

Mr. Hutsell and Dr. Ellis were entertained at an informal dinner by Robert Easley and Wesley Vaughn, president and treasurer, respectively, of the local chapter.

The purpose of the officer's visit was to check the chapter activities. While here, Mr. Hutsell discussed scholarship, honorary fraternities and extra-curricular activities of the members. The visit at the Normal was but one in a tour of the chapters in the middle west and south.

While visiting the new library and power plant, Mr. Hutsell stated, "I have never seen a more beautiful arrangement for a library building." He commended the modern furniture and the arrangement of books in the stack room.

Mr. Hutsell was invited to attend the annual banquet to be held on May 19 but was unable to accept because of duties elsewhere.

'How to Live' Taught This Week by Kyser

Projects on how to live are being taught in Mrs. Kyser's personal hygiene class this week. They are on how to stand, walk, dress, eat, buy shoes, balance meals, plan time, eliminate worry, how to be charming, how not to lose weight or how to gain, and how not to die of heart disease.

Of the 100 time budgets experimented with for the time-planning project, four dominant failings were "too little recreation, too much idle conversation, stealing study hours for things of less importance, and too little sleep."

The hundred students agreed that budgeting time is desirable and necessary in order to effect a great amount of accomplishments.

Roberta Fluitt Elected President Of Treble Clef

Roberta Fluitt was re-elected president of the Treble Clef club at its regular meeting last week. Maxine Corbitt was elected vice-president; Elvira Beasley, secretary; Ethel Good, treasurer, and Sammy Hill, reporter.

In reviewing the activities of the past year, the Treble Clef club reports participation in numerous entertainment activities including the Christmas Pageant, two tours to high schools throughout the state, two radio broadcasts, and local concerts.

Singers in the club will take an active part in the Spring Festival program later this month.

Rev. J. C. Vandegaer To Deliver Annual Sermon At Normal

The annual baccalaureate sermon at the State Normal college will be delivered by the Most Reverend J. C. Vandegaer, Chancellor of the Diocese, St. Agnes Church, Tallulah, La., it was announced this week by President Albert A. Fredericks.

In making the announcement President Fredericks stated that Bishop D. F. Desmond of Alexandria, who had accepted early this year the invitation to preach the annual sermon here, was forced to cancel his engagement on account of illness.

Baccalaureate services will be held in the Main Auditorium of Caldwell Hall at 11 a. m. on Sunday, May 23.

The annual commencement exercises at the State Teachers' college here will be held on Tuesday, May 25, at which time the new Governor Richard W. Leche Library will be dedicated.

The Fine Arts Festival of Historic Natchitoches will be held in conjunction with the commencement season at the college this year. The Festival will open with a St. Denis Costume Ball in the women's gymnasium Tuesday evening, May 24. Contests in drama, poetry, music and art will be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday, May 25, and candle light services and a Venetian Night on Cane River Lake will be held after the commencement exercises at the college.

Newman Sponsors Big Entertainment

For the first time in the history of the Newman club at the college, a dance will be given in honor of the city of Natchitoches and the State Normal college on Saturday, May 15, in the new Social Hall Ballroom on the second floor of the Social Activities Building.

Newman club authorities state that the dance will be the largest of its kind this season inasmuch as townspeople as well as Normalites will be invited to attend. In addition to dancing features provision will be made for playing bunks, cards and bingo in the game alcoves of the ballroom. The "Demon Knights", dance orchestra, will furnish music for the evening's entertainment.

Normal Sponsors Clinic For Band, Music Leaders In Special Summer Course

Hundreds of Musicians Expected to Attend
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Realizing the interest and enthusiasm now being displayed in the high school band movement in the Southern States, the Louisiana State Normal College, through its department of music, has organized a summer school and clinic which will serve the several hundred band leaders and supervisors in the South. The session will extend over a period of four and one-half weeks from June 1 to July 3, inclusive.

Purple Jacket Club Names New Members For 37-8

Seven Old Members Of Organization Will Return To Campus In September

Fourteen co-ed leaders at the Louisiana State Normal college were named members of the Purple Jacket club, honorary organization at the State Teachers' college here, in a special assembly program last week. Names of the new members were announced by President Albert A. Fredericks.

Seven members of the 1936-37 club will return next fall when the 14 students named last week will officially become members of the organization, and 11 will complete their courses in May, it was announced by Miss Catherine Winters, faculty sponsor of the club.

New members added to the club's membership at the program here are: Misses Margaret Amheim of Pineville, Lorine Bixler of Mansfield, Pauline Rhinehart of Georgetown, Mary Rose Brock of Fort Necessity, Helen Byers of Gilliam, Chloe Crawford of Minden, Clarice Timmerman of Marksville, Rosemary Thomas of Natchitoches, Roberta Fluitt of Shreveport, Margaret Hicks of Natchitoches, Mary Wimberly of Ringgold, Anne Butts of Waterproof, Louise Reed of Lake Providence, and Mary Catherine Williams of Boyce.

Members of the organization at present who will return in Sept. (Continued on last page)

The opportunity offered musicians to meet nationally known men in the band field personally and to gather information on conducting and organizing bands, together with the opportunity to learn new instruments, is expected to make the State Normal College Band School outstanding among the summer schools in the South.

College Credit Given
Four hours college credit will be given those completing the four and one half weeks' course, music authorities of the college have announced. In addition to the special Band School and Clinic, students may also enroll in other music courses offered during the regular nine-week summer session.

All meetings of the Band School and Clinic will be held on the campus of the State Normal College. Directed by the Guest Conductors, concerts will be presented in the Greek Theatre at the end of each week during the session.

Recreational Features Offered
Aside from the cultural value of the course, the State Normal College will also offer the visiting musicians numerous recreational features including swimming in the College Salt Water Pool, boating and swimming in Normal Lake at the foot of the campus, horseback riding on twenty miles of bridle path on the college 640-acre campus, golfing on the spacious college course, tennis on the college concrete courts shaded by virgin pine trees, social gatherings in the Field House in the heart of the campus, all forms of intramural sports for both men and women, lyceum numbers by world-renowned artists, and fishing in numerous lakes which surround the city of Natchitoches.

State School Head Criticizes Campaigns To Enroll Students In Colleges Of Louisiana

Campaigns to enroll large numbers of students in the state colleges of Louisiana were criticized by State Superintendent T. H. Harris of Baton Rouge in a message to the college curriculum committees from four of the state's colleges that met on State Teachers' college campus here Saturday, for the purpose of studying the curricula and recommending changes to bring courses up to date. "Campaigns to enroll large numbers of students should be discontinued," declared Superintendent Harris. "Instead of such campaigns a plan should be set up that will provide all prospective students with full information about college work and state colleges, and students should be free to make a choice as to the college they wish to attend," said Mr. Harris.

Mr. Harris pointed out that committees on admission and guidance should direct the students into proper channels of work for which they are best fitted. "More and more of our young people are entering college every year, and while this seems desirable, it is nevertheless true that most of them drop out before they have achieved their goals," Mr. Harris said. "This means," he continued, "either that they should never have attempted standard college work or that they have not been able to adjust themselves to the system as it now exists."

Superintendent Harris believes that "once a student is in college he should be constantly advised and guided in such a way that he will do the work that seems most

likely to contribute to his individual growth."

In commenting on the curricula offered by the state colleges, Mr. Harris declared that most every college offers too many separate courses. "I think it is obviously undesirable for our state colleges to offer three or four hundred separate subjects," he declared, "as this means that there is much duplication of effort and a degree of specialization that is both unnecessary and undesirable."

The third objective presented was the raising of the cultural level of the college graduate. "Increasing the general cultural level of our college graduates should be the primary objective of the first two years' work of all college students who are able to profit from cultural courses," he stated.

Superintendent Harris concluded his message by stating that he wanted the greatest possible number of the state's young people in college and that he wanted them to be offered the best courses that can be planned in such a way that every student can develop to his fullest potentialities through pursuing them. Opening Friday night with addresses from representatives of Louisiana Tech at Ruston, Southwestern of Lafayette and the State Normal college, the meeting on curriculum planning ended Saturday with a general meeting in the visual education room of the college following special meetings of 15 curricula committees.

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THINK IT OVER

Should this be a lecture? The answer of course is no, but with the end of the spring term drawing near this paper feels the need of calling student attention to several things of importance to every member of the student body of this college.

Great consideration should be given in selecting class officers, dormitory officers, in deciding on changes in the constitution, as well as the final announcement at the end of this quarter—grades. Every student should carefully ponder in his mind all of these various problems which are soon to be settled by the will of the majority. In electing these new officers bear in mind the fact that they are with your cooperation the leading parts of the machinery of the college. Choose leaders who are diligent and willing to work for the benefits of the student body and the college.

Class officers certainly play an important part in the student government. They are student council representatives of respective classes. This is a task of major importance which demands the interest of a person with a clear mind and an impartial point of view.

Another branch of the elected government officers which require thought before voting is the selection of dormitory officers. The students not only form the governing bodies of the building from which they are chosen but the two head executives, president and vice-president, of each group from the men's and women's councils which are two of the judiciary bodies of the college.

Constitutional changes should be duly considered before ballots are cast. Students should favor only the changes in this cooperative government which will be for the betterment of the college and the student body as a whole.

In conclusion, while thinking over student body officers and policies, don't fail to remember that final exams and the closing of the school year are drawing nigh. Don't let spring weather overcome you but instead buckle down and strive toward the best in all phases of college activity.

LACK OF APPRECIATION!

Does the general student body of the Louisiana State Normal College show an appreciation for the finer arts which certainly go toward developing a well-rounded college graduate? The particular reference in this instance was the display of this lack of appreciation as was shown recently in the assembly at which the group of original one-act plays were presented by students of this college.

Why was that unnecessary snickering among the college group so evident? Was it necessary? Of course not; it was indeed an act of ill-appreciation and ungratefulness for effort put forth by those students who worked so diligently on the plays.

As a group of college men and women, why cannot the group strive toward stronger appreciation and less of this unnecessary boisterousness? This can be done. Let us work toward the goal of refinement. With cooperation of the entire student body this goal can be reached.

RANDOM SHOTS AND THOUGHTS

A Column By The Co-Eds

Think! Think! Think! To try to recall some new campus gossip is practically an impossibility!

Of course the Lambda Zeta dance brought some few things to light. For instance Sam Aaron seems to be sweet on the subject of brunettes again. He chose Martha Fleming as his sponsor for the gala event. Bill DeBlieux returned to escort his true blue Polly Martin, while Charles Cunningham was again up to his old tricks. He chose Jean Johnson as his damsel fair to take to the hop.

'Tis rumored that Tom Pinckney spent quite a pleasant week-end in Shreveport! We've been told she's truly a honey!!!

Allen Lee certainly seems lost these days. When is she coming down to see "us" again Allen?

CONGRATULATIONS!

Steve Holstein seems to know how to be popular. What is it Steve, your good looks or just personality plus! He was seen walking 'round the campus with no less than four girls one afternoon not so long ago! We weren't seeing double either!! Keep it, boy! You have the record.

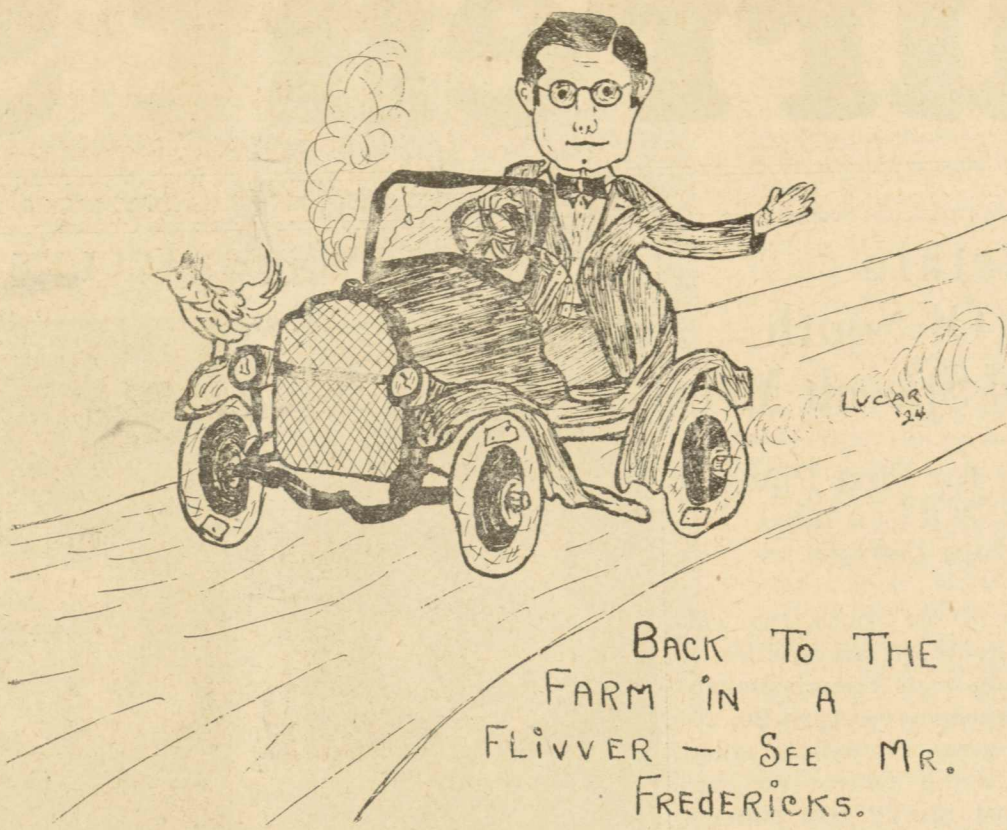
Fred Berkowitz is still collecting pictures! Not only is he collecting those of his favorite girl friends but also he has an excellent snap of the smoke-stack on the new power plant.

CARNATIONS!!!

These go and rightly so to the Lambda Zeta frat for having such a swell dance about a week ago.

Wesley Vaughn seems again to be about to capture the admiration of another freshman. Cute girl, Vaughn!!!

ONE FOR THE SCRAPBOOK!



This cut from the 1924 files of the "Potpourri" will appear in the First Annual Normal SCRAPBOOK that will appear here this month. The cartoon, made when Pres. Fredericks was Professor of Agriculture at the Normal will appear in the section devoted to the "good old days." Reservations for the SCRAPBOOK may be made today in the Normal Bookstore. (See story on page 4).

NEWS ABOUT THE GREEKS

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

Phi Chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon announces the initiation of Eloise Major and Frances Allday on Monday, April 19, 1936 and the pledging of Evelyn Andrus on Thursday, April 29, 1936.

The following were elected as officers for the year 1937-38: Eloise Major, president; Bernice Schexnayder, vice president; Lillian Kelly, recording secretary; Wilma LeGendre, treasurer; Louise Voorhies, chaplain; Catherine Roy, corresponding secretary; Margaret Hicks, historian; Sammie Hill, sergeant-at-arms; Frances Allday, social service chairman; Eleanor Hughes, Rush captain; Eloise Major, and Lillian Kelly, Pan Hellenic representatives.

On Friday afternoon, April 23, Mrs. Mattie Bréazeale, Miss Annetta Wood, Miss Georgene Hughes, Mrs. O. W. Traber, and Mrs. C. C. Stroud, entertained the members and pledges of Delta Sigma Epsilon with a delightful bridge party at the Country Club. Lovely refreshments were served after the games. Prizes were awarded to Elizabeth L'Hérissou, Mr. Lorane Brittain, and Martha Effie Hall.

THETA SIGMA UPSILON

Kappa Chapter of Theta Sigma Upsilon announces the formal initiation of Evelyn Breau, Daisy Roy, and Claire Watkins on Tuesday, April 27.

The pledges of Theta Sigma Upsilon entertained the active members at a delightful party in the women's gymnasium Friday, April 30.

PI DELTA EPSILON

Pi Delta Epsilon, honorary biology fraternity, elected the following officers at its meeting Monday night: Julius Bradley, president; Bill Hart, vice-president; Melba Bernard, secretary; Lucille Carpenter, treasurer; Winonah Edwards, corresponding secretary; and Raymond Szczesul, reporter.

At the meeting plans were formulated for a picnic to be held Monday, May 10 so that proper arrangements may be made. The group will leave Science Building for Normal Wells at four o'clock.

The entertainment committee is composed of Raymond Szczesul, chairman, Velma Caston and Winonah Edwards.

Demeter Elects Next Year Leaders

At a recent meeting of Demeter, national agriculture fraternity, Raymond Szczesul was elected president for the coming year, Bill Loftin, vice-president; James Hillburn, secretary-treasurer; Leon Straciner, sergeant-at-arms, Collier Smith, pledge captain, and Raymond Szczesul, reporter.

Another joint meeting is being arranged between the Demeter members and the Euthenics club. Spring initiation ceremonies may be held if time permits before the close of the current school session.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

The first social affair to be held in the new social room was the annual Mothers-Daughters party given by Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma.

The tables for four with the speaker's table in the center were beautifully decorated with bouquets of sweet peas, roses, pansies, gladioli and yellow and white candles. The bouquet of Easter lilies sent by Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority added to the decoration. As this year's program in the sorority has been the idea of turning air castles into a real lodge the theme of the party was that dreams can turn into realities. This theme was effectively carried out in the program and place cards. Beth Reeves sang an appropriate song, "To My Mother", and various Pi Kap songs, accompanied by Mrs. Sara Roach Whitehead. Irma Jane Gibson gave a reading. Toasts and responses were made by Bobby Montgomery, Mary Ida Aycock, Eleanor Williams, Willa Vae Rhodes, Mrs. Opal Pollock, Johannah Peterson, Rosemary Laws, Margaret Elston and Miss Debbie Pinkston.

The program was brought to a close by the president, Dorothy V. Irion who gave a short talk on hopes and plans for the lodge.

Guests of the evening were: mothers, Miss Dean Varnado, Mrs. Ethel Hereford and Mrs. A. A. Fredericks.

The alumnae who attended were: Carrie Bonnie Newell, Emily McDade, Dorothy Mading, Loucille Castille, Imogene Montgomery, Mrs. Joe Webb, Mrs. John Pollock, Mrs. Sara Roach Whitehead, Mrs. Ethel Holliday.

Mrs. Virginia Thompson and Miss Elizabeth Aycock visited on the campus this past week-end.

ALPHA PHI GAMMA

Iota chapter of Alpha Phi Gamma announces the initiation of Frances Parr and John Makar on Thursday, April 29, 1937.

Phi Kappa Nu Elects Jack Burgess Pres.

Jack Burgess was elected president and Milton McGee, vice-president of Phi Kappa Nu at its regular meeting Tuesday night.

Other officers elected were Kidd Farr, secretary; Francis Bryan, treasurer; Raymond Szczesul, reporter; and Charles Loomis, sergeant-at-arms.

Retiring officers are Harold Smolinski, president, who did not seek re-election because of extracurricular activities, Sims Jackson, vice-president who graduates next fall, Walter Ledet, secretary, Charles Loomis, treasurer, Raymond Szczesul, reporter, and Charles Loomis, sergeant-at-arms.

Pan-Hellenic To Sponsor Dance To-night At 7

The date of the Pan-Hellenic dance has been changed from Saturday night to tonight at seven o'clock.

It will be in the form of a "Joe

LITTLE AUDREY SEES CAMPUS ROADS BUILT

Surely you have all heard of Little Audrey. She is the wee tot who just laughed and laughed at the "Men Working" sign, because she knew all the time that those were W. P. A. men. An innocent bystander found that Little Audrey was on the L.S.N.C. campus. And thereby hangs a tale. (Note to Printer: (hangs a tale," not "hangs by a tail").

Audrey Amazed

Little Audrey was amazed at the new roads that have been appearing around the Hill. She simply couldn't understand it. One day there was an old black top road full of ruts and "thank-you-ma'ams" (bumps), and the next time she looked there was a nice smooth road, covered with tan Winn parish gravel. In her perplexity she wandered into the Current Sauce office, seeking information. Berkie unwound fourteen feet of newsreel from about his neck and said, "Go outside and see for yourself. I'm busy." From this we may deduce that Little Audrey is by no means a handsome dame, but is only dumb, without being beautiful.

Audrey Perches

So Audrey went out and perched on the railing by the entrance to the bookstore and waited hopefully. Presently a big Mack truck came grunting up the grade, turned around, and stopped. Two men got out and began to fit a long pipe under the tank which formed the body of the truck. One of them started a motor on the Mack and a black, viscous fluid began to come from jets in the pipe. The truck moved slowly forward leaving a black, glistening track in its wake. Then another truck, a Ford this time, came up the incline. It hoisted its dump body and as it rolled forward, little brown pebbles fell out, covering the black track of the Mack.

Audrey Gapers

Then the men put a long hose on the tank and began to shoot the liquid on the spots the truck hadn't covered. Other men scooped up loose gravel and poured it where the black still showed. Little Audrey gaper because here was her nice tan roadway, made before her very eyes. It only needed packing down by a steam roller to be ready for Mrs. Johnson's car in the morning.

CONTEST

WHO IS LITTLE AUDREY? Little Audrey is a member of the Louisiana State Normal College student body. Write the name of the person YOU think most clearly typifies Little Audrey on a slip of paper, and hand it to any member of the Current Sauce staff. The winner's name will be published.

Cold drinks will be served during the hours from a make-believe bar with a bar-tender to mix them in a Pan-Hellenic fashion.

Students are urged to don their most collegiate attire and participate in the dancing beginning at seven o'clock. The tagging will be done by the girls. The entire student body is invited to attend this annual spring dance.

Student Opinions

Fountains

Now, at last we again have water where it is convenient for us to reach it. This last week has seen the completion of the new fountain with the many faucets which spurt water up into our faces, when with the least twist of the wrist we turn the handles. Ice-cold water spurting high into the face is quite a surprise to anyone not expecting it, and to the practical joker who goes around offering to turn the fountain on for the unsuspecting victim is quite a treat.

This newest addition to the campus adds to the good appearance of the grounds and of course is servicable as well. The other morning we watched the artist standing back to watch his handiwork—then he reached into his pocket and pulled out, of all things, a camera and took pictures of it from all angles. Several of the boys watching this procedure asked him this question: "Like it?" And of course he said that he did, but then, we do too.

I. M. Whett

The Listening Post!

The Winnfield Bus

Little Annie May Moss seems to be having quite a bit of fun these days—threatening to use her great weight on the male visitors to that bus?

And of course we are going to claim that Chicken Dinner!

Dorothy Weeks and James Embree take great pleasure in having their names appearing in print for their public to see!

Paul Powell thinks there is no price too great to pay for the honor (?) of having his name appear with those of other students from Winnfield.

The Coushatta Bus

We wonder why the Fish Fry at Grand Ecure was called off last Saturday?

It is really true that Katherine Tally cares nothing for the young men of Coushatta?

We hear that Sam Mayeaux is losing out on the Winnfield Bus these days!

The Marthaville Bus

'Tis rumored that all young men contemplating the bliss of "double harness", should first see Esther Glover!

We hear that Albert Bell takes great pleasure in making life miserable for the young women on that bus—Lustrine Ingram in particular.

The Many Bus

We still haven't been able to figure out just why Blondell Horn and Fred Patrick like to spend so much of their time down there?

And why does "Lib" Scarborough always have a bandage over her eyes?

The Grant Parish Bus

And we hear that we're to have Stella Fletcher for only three days a week for the remainder of the term.

Things have been very quiet here of late—maybe it was the result of the Mid-Term grades some were not so proudly displaying.

Editor's Note—Bobbie Arledge, who is the author of this column, fails to mention that during the past week-end she again entertained one of her boy friends. Robert L. Holdzkorn had chicken dinner with Bobbie on Sunday, and stayed with her to return to Normal on the bus Monday morning.

Kay Thompson Writes Song For Program

That versatile First Lady of Rhythm, Kay Thompson, wrote a whole new song for herself and the Rhythm Singers for the Chesterfield Program heard on Friday evening, April 30 over the Columbia Network. The song is called "Celebrating Time", an appropriate title since that program marked a full year of broadcasting for Miss Thompson under Chesterfield sponsorship. Since New Year's Day of this year Kay Thompson and her Rhythm Singers have been featured with Hal Kemp's Dance Band; for 8 months prior to that time they had been a part of the Andre Kostelanetz Chesterfield shows.

TRACKMEN LEAVE FOR S. I. A. A. MEET SATURDAY

TRACKMEN BEAT TECH BULLDOGS ON LOCAL FIELD

Freshman Team Takes Bullpups Into Camp 53 to 43

Led by captain Marvin Wyatt, who piled up 18 points with three first and one second place, the Louisiana State Normal Demons varsity track squad overwhelmed the Louisiana Tech Bulldogs in a dual track meet on the athletic field last Saturday, 68-49. The Imps who met the Bullpups in conjunction with the varsity meet, won out 53-43.

In compiling their 68 points the Demons gained 20 firsts and 6 seconds to Tech's 5 firsts and 8 seconds. The Imps placed first in seven events and second in six as compared to the Bullpups 5 firsts and 6 seconds.

An outstanding feature of the track combat was Wyatt's 9.8 time in the 100 yard dash, the second best time he has made in his track's career.

Wyatt's fast time in the 100 yard dash stamps him among the favorites in this event at the S. I. A. A. meet this week-end. Last year Wyatt finished second in the century at the tournament when he came in a few feet back of Oargle of Loyola who covered the distance in 9:6 seconds.

Ledet sounded a warning to competitors in the weight division when he put the shot 44 feet 10 inches, the best distance he has ever made in intercollegiate competition.

Williamson with first in mile, tie for first in 880; Scott who placed first in the 2 mile and 440, and a second in 100 were other outstanding performers for the Purple and White thinclad. Harmon was barely a stride behind Wyatt in the 9.8 seconds 100 yard dash.

Outstanding for Tech was Coody, who placed first in high jump with a 6-foot 1 inch leap and second in the broad jump and pole vault.

Results:
Varsity: 120 Yard High Hurdles, Woodward, Tech; Wyatt, Normal. Time, 16.6 seconds.

Shot Put: Ledet, Normal; Giddens, Tech. Distance, 44 feet 10 inches.

100 Yard Dash: Wyatt, Normal; Harmon, Normal. Time, 9.8 sec.

Pole Vault: Wyatt, Normal; Coody, Tech. Height, 11 feet 9 1/2 inches.

Mile Run: Williamson, Normal; Davis, Tech. Time, 4 minutes 53.1 seconds.

440 Yard Run: Scott, Normal; Giddens, Tech. Time, 52.66 sec.

Discus: Beaumont, Tech; T. Elkins, Normal. Distance, 113 1/4 ft.

High Jump: Coody, Tech; McGhee, Normal. Height, 6 feet 1 in.

220 Low Hurdles: Wyatt, Normal; Cole, Tech. Time, 24.8.

Javelin: Nitter, Tech; Loomis, Normal. Distance, 165 feet 10 in.

880 Yard Run: Williamson and Wiggins, Normal, tied for first. Time, 2:4.8 minutes.

220 Yard Run: Harmon, Normal; Barnett, Tech. Time, 24.5 seconds.

Two Mile Run: Scott, Normal; Rives, Tech. Time, 11 minutes.

Broad Jump: Woodward, Tech; Coody, Tech. Distance, 21 feet 4 1/2 inches.

Mile Relay: Normal, Wiggins; Thomas, Williamson. Harmon. Time, 3 minutes 30 and 5 tenths seconds.

Fresh Events: 120 Yard High Hurdles: Hendricks, Tech; Barker, Tech. Time 16.6 seconds.

Shot Put: Stansbury, Normal; Moncla, Normal. Distance, 39 ft. 6 inches.

100 Yard Dash: Jackson, Normal; Price, Tech. Time, 10 sec.

Pole Vault: Hunter, Normal; Hayes, Tech. Height, 11 feet 3 1/4 inches.

Discus: Stansbury, Normal; Moncla, Normal. Distance, 110 ft.

440 Yard Dash: Adams, Tech; Maddox, Normal. Time 54.6 sec.

220 Yard Low Hurdles: Hendricks, Tech; Barker, Tech. Time, 26.5 seconds.

Javelin: Murrell, Normal; Moncla, Normal. Distance, 156 feet.

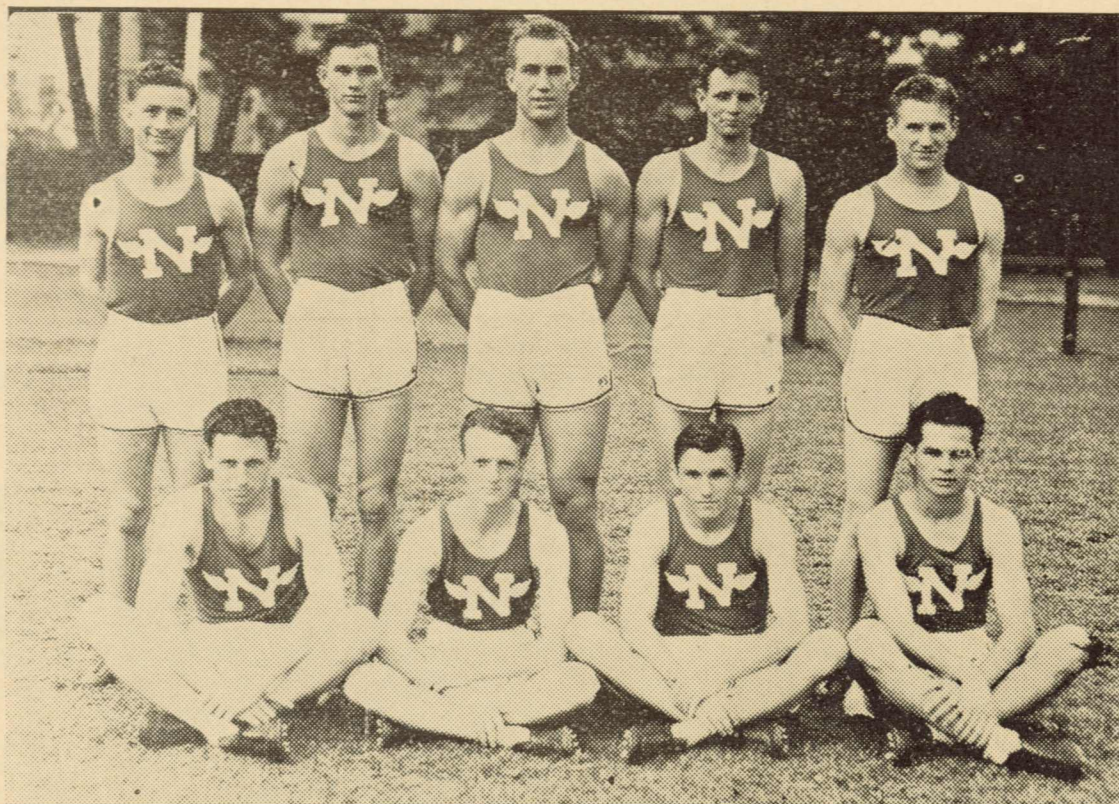
220 Yard Dash: Jackson, Normal; Price, Tech. Time 22.4 sec.

Broad Jump: Hayes, Tech; Murrell, Normal. Distance, 22 feet.

High Jump: Hayes, Tech; Perkins and Hunter, Normal, tied for second. Height: 5 feet 6 inches.

880 Yard Dash: Gilson, Normal; Cord, Tech. Time 2 minutes 13 seconds.

To Carry Demon Colors In Track Meet Saturday



These nine star athletes will carry the Demon colors at the annual S.I.A.A. track meet to be held Saturday at Pineville, on the Louisiana college athletic field. Front row, left to right: Marvin Wyatt (captain), track and field; Clifton Thomas, track; Steve Harmon, track; Frank Pernici, track and field. Standing: Julian Scott, track; Milton McGhee, field; Walter Ledet, track; Douglas Williamson, track; Gordon Wiggins, track.

TENNIS MEN TIE LA. COLLEGE CATS FOR SECOND TIME

Demons Win Three Singles Matches But Lose Two Doubles

For the second time this season the Louisiana Normal Demons and the Louisiana College Wildcats' tennis teams battled to a draw on the tennis courts. In this second meeting on the Demon courts, the Normal racquet wielders won three of the four singles matches and lost both doubles encounters in the doubles division.

John D. Bell, number one man on the Purple and White squad, bested E. W. Hixon of the Wildcat squad 6-3, 8-6. In the second set of this match with the score at 6-6. Bell took the next two games without losing a point. McLean of the Demon squad, lost the only Normal singles match to Crowell, 6-1, 6-1. Causey and Cross, playing the number three and four positions respectively, brought the Demons victory in the other singles matches with Causey taking the measure of Kirkpatrick, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3, and Cross outstriking McWilliams, 7-5, 6-2.

Going into the doubles matches leading 3 to 1 in matches won, the Demons seemed sure to cop the most victories in the six match play. In the first doubles encounter, Crowell and McWilliams of Louisiana college fought their way to a victory over Cross and Causey, 6-4, 7-5 to keep the Cats in a position for a tie. Hickson and Kirkpatrick, who composed the number one doubles team for Louisiana College, made a strong comeback against Bell and McClean after losing their first set, 6-2, and after facing set, match point no less than three times, to capture the second set 9-7. Following this gruelling set, the Louisiana college team had little difficulty in winning the third and final set, 6-2, to give them their third victory and leave the two teams none the wiser as to who is the better after two meetings on the court.

Loyola Debate Held Last Week Ends Speech Year

Forensic Director Pronounces Season Most Successful In History

Closing the debate season on the hill, Gardner Kreiger and John Norris defended the affirmative of the minimum wage and maximum hour proposition in a non-decision debate against a team from Loyola. The debate was held on April 28 at 7:00 p. m. in the visual education room of the Leche Library.

This debate marked the end of the current season and was the hundred and eightieth encounter for members of the college debate squad, and a season in which approximately 10,000 miles were traveled. In summary of the season R. L. Ropp, head of forensics remarked: "this season has been

Cub Reporter Reveals Many Incidents In Normal College Physical Education Classes

Slide together, slide, turn, slide together, Arabesque!

The Natural Dancing class led by Mrs. DORIS PIERSON suits action to the words. The girls in their bright bathing suits look more like bathing beauties on parade than a dancing class. MRS. PIERSON, however, prefers a blue dotted ballet costume which flares out during whirls and turns.

The purpose of natural dancing class is to overcome awkwardness and stiffness by dancing to classic music played by MAXINE CORBETT.

MISS KELLY has a quite different purpose in attending the dancing class. However, her purpose is defeated, for the exercise of this class, which is just before noon, creates an appetite for steak and potatoes.

The class is supposed to answer the question of what to do with seemingly superfluous arms and feet.

Taxes Brain

The question of arms seems to be harder than that of feet. The feet can be managed by certain numbers, as one, two, three, FOUR; one, two, three, FOUR; or by words breathed under the breath, as hop, slide, slide; hop, slide, slide. But with the present one-track mind, one can not count for the arms at the same time as for the feet. The feet have to move in dancing (outside of Walkiki) so the arms fling around at random or jump pendu-

the most successful in the history of the Normal's debate activities."

An extension in the intercollegiate speech field for the Normal was the participating not only in debate, but in every phase of speech work done in debate tournaments. Thus it was that the Normal was victorious in extemporaneous speaking, after dinner speaking, poetry reading, and oratory.

A new phase of speech work was introduced by Mr. Ropp in the home tournament, that is, impromptu after-dinner speaking. This introduction was especially innovated to meet the evil of "canned" after-dinner speeches.

Three different propositions were debated in the course of the season.

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TURPIN TO TAKE THINCLADS IN EFFORT TO BETTER RECORD MADE IN PREVIOUS S.I.A.A. MEETS

Freshman Will Try to Keep Championship Won Last Year In Pineville

Coach Harry Turpin will take his tracksters to Pineville Saturday where they will cope with other members of the S.I.A.A. for the track and field championship on the athletic field at Louisiana college.

For three times in the last five years the Demons have finished second in the tournament, losing first place once by 1/2 point, at another time by 1 1/2 points and at a third time by 3 points. With a well balanced team composed of

"N" CLUB PICKS EIGHTEEN MEN FOR MEMBERSHIP

Three Branches Of Athletics Represented Among New Members

For the second time in the history of the Normal college, the "N" club shared a program period with the Purple Jacket club, a woman's organization here, at which time eighteen athletes in three branches of sport were named members of the "N" club.

Each year an assembly hour is given to the Purple Jackets at which time the history and purpose of the organization and the calling of new members is done. Last year the "N" club was allowed to share the program with the Purple Jackets and officially introduce new members to the student body.

In their program this year, the "N" club which is composed of men athletes who have lettered in one of the four major sports here at Normal—football, tennis, basketball and track—offered as their program a history of the club, purpose and the introduction of new members. Coaches Turpin and Aillet, Stoner Moss of Lake Charles and Paul Piazza of Abbeville, co-captains of the 1936 grid team, gave brief speeches during the impressive ceremonies.

New members added to the athletic club at the college are: Jimmy Hilborn of Bossier City, football and track; Bill James of Grenada, Mississippi; football and track; Frank Pernici of DeRidder, football and track; Billy Parker of Haynesville, football and track; Emmett Cope of Haynesville, football; Charles Loomis of Friday, football and track; Steve Harmon of Waterproof, football and track; Joe Colquhite of Fisher, basketball; Leighton Linzay of Lecompte, basketball; and Jessie Walker of Natchitoches, basketball.

John Elkins of Harris, football, basketball and track; E. D. Perkins of Natchitoches, football and basketball; Bill Hart of Rodessa, football and track; Harold Smolinski of Coushatta, football; Walter Ledet of Abbeville, football and track; Hugh Flournoy of Maynesville, football; Dudley Hillman of Leesville, football; Estel Farr of Winnfield, football. Coach Aillet and Collier Smith of Amite, manager, were named honorary members.

The following boys were named as the 1937-38 officers: James Hilborn, president; Estel Farr, vice-president; and Walter Ledet, secretary.

Members of the club finishing this year are: Stoner Moss of Lake Charles; Paul Piazza, Abbeville; W. E. Coyle of Springhill; Wilburn Slack of Springhill; Jimmy Austin of Mooringsport; Payne Mahfouz of Natchitoches; Wesley

several outstanding men, the Normal thin clads are in a better position to cop the championship than ever before.

Southwestern, the winner for the last two years, is boasting another star on its team this year, and is especially strong in the middle distance races. Johnson, star half-miler from the south Louisiana school, has on several occasions in meets this year, bested the S.I.A.A. record in this event. Williamson, Normal representative in the two-lap race, will carry his team's hopes of upsetting the dope and defeating Johnson Saturday.

At Louisiana College, Hart has been putting the shot 50 feet, which distance is second only to Sam Francis' in this year's shot put competition. Normal will have Ledet, versatile Sophomore athlete, to vie with Louisiana College's star weight man.

Coach Turpin has high hopes that Parker will break the javelin throw record of 186 feet and some inches that now stands in the S.I.A.A. annals. In the triangular meet with Southwestern and Stephen F. Austin two Saturdays ago, Parker heaved the javelin 186 feet. He threw twice, fouling on the first throw and pulling a muscle in his back on the second. Coach Turpin has kept Parker from any strenuous work since that time, however, and expects him to be back in tip-top shape for competition Saturday.

Captain Wyatt, who will participate in the 100 yard dash, pole vault, broad jump and high hurdles is expected to bring the Demon tracksters a number of points.

The freshman team will also be entered and will defend the championship won by last year's first yearmen at the S.I.A.A. tournament. Willard Jackson has been outstanding in the dashes this spring, covering the 100 yards in ten seconds flat and the 220 yards in 22.4 seconds. Stansbury and Murrell are both star shot putters, Stansbury putting the 16 pound weight over 40 feet and Murrell getting close to this distance.

The team will leave for Pineville Saturday morning with the following boys probably making the trip: Varsity—Wyatt, sprints; Thomas, sprints and low hurdles; Harmon, sprints; Pernici, sprints; Scott, mile; McGhee, high-jump; Ledet, high-jump and weights; Williamson, middle - distances; Wiggins, mile and two mile; Parker, javelin; John Elkins, weights; Shipp, distances; Hart, javelin; and Linzay, sprint. Freshman squad—Jackson, sprints; Murrell, sprints and weights; Creighton, distances; Stansbury, weights; Martin, hurdles; Perkins, high-jump; Hunter, pole vault and high-jump; and Hicks, high-jump and distance.

Vaughn of Haynesville; Elmo Tullios of Tullios; Marvin Wyatt of Atlanta; and Clifton Thomas of Natchitoches.

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Newsreel Show To Review 2500 Feet Of Film Taken During Year Of Movie Shots

Program Will Include Latest Shots Taken Recently; Governors Earle and Leche at Jury Meet

A review of the film exposed this school year plus two hundred feet of new shots will be the attraction of the final newsreel program to be held at 7:00 p. m. in Caldwell auditorium Friday, May 14, tomorrow. This review will be 2,500 feet long and will last more than one hour.

The "review of reviews" will go back to the early days of the newsreel and will bring back memories of the fair grounds. These Exposition shots will bring back the views of band in color, the many buildings which the students visited, and merry-go-round and rolly-coster shots.

Sports of the year will be again exposed on the screen, and the stars of the year will go through their feats once more. Shots of the numerous football games, track scenes, basketball action, and tennis activities will be re-shown. The sport fans will be given the opportunity to see the football queen, Willie Lou Talbot, and her court.

Other shots will review the Pan-Hellenic tea held earlier in the year, student life during the absence of the faculty during the L. T. A. convention, student activity on the train on the way to Dallas, the debate tour, the spring styles, the recent track meet, and the feature of the faculty at home during the Christmas vacation.

The latest two hundred feet of film not seen by the student body will show the arrival of Governor Earle of Pennsylvania in his airplane and the presentation of the official insignia by Miriam Himel, President Fredericks receiving Governor Leche and Governor Earle will also be shown on the program.

Shots of numerous Normalities and high school theletes attending the high school track meet will be shown in several feet of this special addition.

Social Hall Transformed By Additions

In the past several weeks the upstairs of the Social Hall building has undergone many changes. The large room which was formerly the main reading room of the old library is now a well-equipped recreation room.

The former stack room is now a room set aside for an organization room where various clubs may hold meetings. The old reference room has been changed into a room for diversion. Tables and chairs are adequately placed for various types of entertaining.

The back part of this upper floor has been turned over to all the sororities. This large room which was the room where books and magazines were repaired is now the Pan-Hellenic room. It is attractively furnished with furniture belonging to the different Greek women's organizations.

There is also a kitchen in connection with this room which gives an adequate means of preparing food for social occasions.

The unit as a whole has been transformed into an entirely new place, so planned as to meet the needs of various student organizations.

Thespians Present Classics From Shakespeare Next Week

Stars of the winning Lesche play will again be seen in a dramatic production when the Davis Players present the Shakespeare comedy, "The Taming of The Shrew", next Wednesday at 6:00 o'clock in the Amphitheatre.

Marcia Durham, who played the part of Maria in "Land of the Brave", is Bianca, the younger sister of the Shrew. Payne Mahfouz, hero and author of the prize winning Lesche play is Gremio, the elderly suitor. Others in the cast who have been favorites in former productions are Pat Murphy, who is Tranio, servant to Lucentio, played by W. O. Jackson; J. L. Collum (Bettle) father of Bianca and Katharina. The comedy character, Grumio, is played by Francis Herman, last seen as the hen-pecked husband in the Junior Dramatic Club fall play; that of Curtis, an old servant by Martha Ann Hall, lately the Negro mammy in "A Great

Difference." Doeph Lee, as Hortensio, Durwood Bogan as Biondello are also recruits from the Junior Dramatic Club plays.

The part of Pekuchio will be interpreted by Ceyton Owen last seen here as the guff general in "The Queen's Husband." The Shrew is Marie Louise Zuelke whose only appearance in dramatics at Normal has been in Dramatic class plays. A group of servants, and ladies and gentlemen attendants brings the number to forty. A group of children from the training school under the direction of Miss Bouanchaud will do a folk dance. Mr. Saetre has arranged for music between acts.

Dean Varnado has arranged that supper will be served at five-thirty on Wednesday, May 12, so that students may be at out-door theatre by six o'clock. Admission is twenty-five cents.

Band Travels

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Lafayette.

Invited To Dance

After the program at Lafayette, the members were invited to a dance given by Mr. Voorhies' band boys in the gymnasium of S.L.I.

After an early breakfast the band left for St. Martinville where they visited the Evangeline Oak. Evangeline Grave, and an art shop managed by Mr. Andre Olivier. He is one of the most interesting men in the state; and his fine lecture about the history of the Teche country was very valuable.

In Franklin, after a lunch in the school cafeteria, the band played what proved to be their best concert; for which it was presented a beautiful bouquet of purple and white flowers.

From here, in more rain the band went on to Morgan City to play in the town hall there.

The next concert was presented in Houma (the home city of Elbert Trahan). Here the band had its most enthusiastic audience of

school children. Every grade school as well as the high school was turned out for the outdoor performance. As guest conductor they had Mr. Otto Miller of Houma. After a delicious lunch served by the Home Economics club of the high school the band was on its way to a stop-over at Raceland.

See Sights

In New Orleans a concert was given at the Holy Name School before a small but very enthusiastic audience. Then for a sight-seeing trip of St. Charles and Canal streets, stopping at the front of Canal by the Mississippi river to watch some of the freighters unload stock.

At 10 a. m. the band played in the high school before a large audience of pupils and townsfolk. After a chicken dinner served by the Home Economics girls and arranged by the committee the group was on the way to Hammond and another sister institution.

A concert was given at Baton Rouge Junior high school, before

a small but responsive audience of band students from all over the city.

Visit Capitol

Saturday morning was spent in seeing the state Capitol and the State University campus. After lunch in the Capitol building, the busses crossed the ferry and journeyed to the last concert of the week in Alexandria.

One bus arrived at Bolton high at 4:15 in the afternoon. The other bus did not get there until 6:35. Here a program was rendered under the sponsorship of the Matinee Musical club.

Mahfouz Wins

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with local history in their literary efforts.

Mahfouz won second place in the contest last year with his play "The Price He Paid". For the last two years, first place was captured by Charles DeBlieux, with his plays "Healin' God" and "Relief." An interested audience of Lesche club members and college students filled the auditorium at the presentation of the plays. The judges who rendered the decision were Misses Mamie Bowman and Martha Feltus, and Mrs. V. M. Woodard.

Purple Jacket Club

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are: Misses Leo Cowley of Mansfield, president; Maudie Dabney of Shreveport, vice-president; Georgia Pickett of Pineville, secretary; Rose Mary Laws of Franklin, treasurer; Annice Alday of Natchitoches, reporter; Anna Mae Lambeth of Bossier City, service chairman; and Gertrude Palmer of Natchitoches.

Students now members of the club who will graduate next month include Misses Jimmie Gray of Colfax, Doris Shell of Winnfield, Hazel McGhee of Ville Platte, Miriam Himel of Port Allen, Willie Lou Tabout of Houma, Mary D. White of Winnfield, Mary Catherine Woodard of Natchitoches, Margaret Elston of Shreveport, Patricia Burke of New Iberia, Ottilie Mae Duncan of Alexandria, and Georgia Hampton of Natchitoches.

Scrapbook Pictures Ready To Be Pasted

Pictures to appear in the first annual Normal Scrapbook are casted into metal cuts and are waiting to be arranged and identified on a "dummy" form, it was announced yesterday.

Among the cuts to be used in the magazine are new and old pictures of Normal students, scenes and faculty members. The greater part of the publication will be devoted to picturing of students and their activities on the campus during the present school year. A section with humorous pictures of the "Good Old Days" at Normal will be made from the ancient files of old Potpourri.

The 36 page Scrapbook will be brought up to date with pictures ranging from that of the first Normal student of 1885 to those of the officers-elect of the 1937-38 student body. Former customs of dress and discipline will be pictured with terse remarks, some in four line verse. High grade paper will be used for the Scrapbook. Space will be allowed for personal photos, remarks and autographs.

To appear this month, the Scrapbook will be offered to Normal students at 25 cents per copy. Copies are today being reserved by students by depositing ten cents with Miss Johnson in the Normal Bookstore.

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Hundreds Expected Here For Graduation

250 Will Receive Degrees, Two-Year Certificates Here

57 Students Will Be Awarded Certificates For Spring Quarter

Candidates for the bachelor's degree and two-year certificates number more than 250 according to the roster of graduates published today.

Those receiving the A. B. degree are: Little Pearl Adams, Montgomery; Mattie Laura Adams, Hosston; Dorothy Aden, Natchitoches; Frances Arledge, Natchitoches; Ila Bee Barnett, Plain Dealing; Ruth Alice Barnett, Shreveport; William (Billy) Baum, Springhill; Mrs. Effie Nichols Berry, Natchitoches; Rubye A. Bowen, Winnfield; William Curtis Bradshaw, Anacoco; Cassius C. Brandenburg, Haughton; Jim T. Breland, Jena; Mrs. Helen Louise L. Brown, Minden; Lovie Brown, Prichard.

Bertha Jewel Bruner, McDade; William Jackson Bullock, Martha; Mary Patricia Burke, New Iberia; Huey F. Burnette, Dodson; Rushia Mae Butcher, Oakdale; Virginia Butler, Coushatta; Carlton Caldwell, Oakdale; William Clayton Carlton, Minden; Thomas J. Carroll, Jr., DeRidder; Arthur L. Carter, Marthaville; Velma Caston, New Orleans.

Evelyn Chatelain, Mansura; Jack Clayton, Haughton; Mrs. Margaret Pickles Colvin, Natchitoches; Thelma Margaret DeBoer, Grosbe; Edna Louise Dey, Natchitoches; Connie Mack Doxey, Montgomery; Jackson Pierce DuBose, Zwolle; Roberta Margaret Duffy, Montgomery; Ruth Mary Duffy, Montgomery; Ottie Mae Duncan, Alexandria; Mrs. Mary F. Edmonds, Natchitoches; Ella Fargeson, Longstreet; Versa Vivian Ferguson, Oil City; Johnnie Fisher, Alco; Minnie Merle Flanders, Mansfield.

Corinne Anna Fournet, Natchitoches; Mrs. Loraine H. Glass, Natchitoches; Elsie Golsen, Hall (Continued on Last Page)

Normal Debate Squad Makes Good Record

Holds 209 Inter-collegiate Contests, Travels 8,700 Miles During 1936-37 Season

The close of the current debate season finds the Normal debaters undisputed champions of the Southwest in the Women's division and tied for the championship of the South in the men's division.

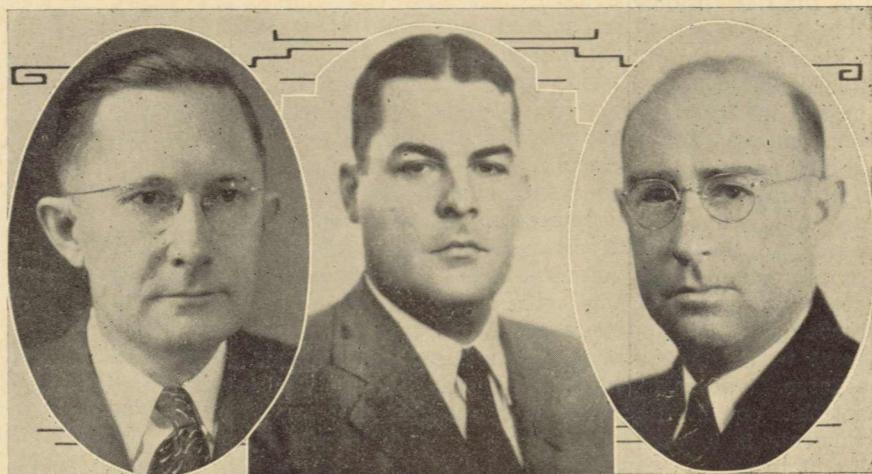
Debate history was made at the Normal College and in the state when the Demon debaters participated in 197 intercollegiate debates, 30 after-dinner, oratory, extemporé, and poetry contests, traveled through 13 states and the District of Columbia for a distance of 8,700 miles, debated three propositions, spoke over the radio aid, culminated the season in a debate especially arranged for publication in the **University Debaters' Annual**.

Though the Normal roster will lose Willie Lou Talbot, Dorothy Aden, and La Verne Whitener, prospects for the 1937-38 season are bright.

Having won the Mid-South Tournament held at Conway, Arkansas earlier in the season, La Verne Whitener and Dorothy Aden began a winning streak that was to give the Demon speakers wins in 65 per cent of their debates this season. Misses Aden and Whitener repeated their Mid-South feat when they won the Louisiana Forensic Tournament held here in March. At the Normal the Women's team was pitted against 23 colleges and universities from six states.

At the Conway meet the men's team of Al Rodriguez and John Makar won the distinction of being the only team at the Tournament to win all five debates in (Continued on last page)

Central Figures In Graduation Exercises



These three outstanding Louisianians will take leading roles in the annual graduation exercises Tuesday when 254 students will complete courses. President Albert A. Fredericks, will preside over the ceremonies and read the honor roll; Governor Richard W. Leche will give the main address at the dedication of the new library named in his honor and confer the degrees on A. B. graduates and award certificates to the two-year students; and C. O. Holland, president of the alumni association, will give the commencement address.

Dr. Clapp Elected President Of State Division Of AAUW

Miss Blair Becomes Secretary-Treasurer Of Association For Two Years

Dr. Sarah L. Clapp and Miss Leora Blair, college faculty members, were elected to two important posts at the meeting of the state division of the American Association of University Women held in Alexandria recently. Dr. Clapp was elected president and Miss Blair secretary-treasurer of the Louisiana division for the 1937-1939 period.

Both Dr. Clapp and Miss Blair have been active in the association for several years, Miss Blair having been first vice-president for the past two years and Dr. Clapp, Chairman of the Fellowship Committee.

Other members of the Natchitoches branch attending the meeting were: Misses Georgene Hughes, Corinne Statler, Corinne Saucier, and Inez Allen.

Officers of the local branch for the 1937-38 period are: Miss Martha Felts, president; Miss Augusta Nelken, vice-president; and Miss Nellie Senska, secretary-treasurer.

Education Classes Visit Institutions In Pineville Trip

Psychology Students Hear Lectures By Doctor; Tour Hospital

In the past three months more than a hundred education students have taken trips to Pineville, under the direction of O. R. Crew, director of personnel and guidance, for the purpose of becoming better acquainted with abnormalities.

One of the principal benefits to be derived from such visits was illustrated by Dr. Brickman at the home for the feeble-minded when he stated that the teachers of the state are daily coming in contact with people who are just as abnormal as those already institutionalized. The discussion of feeble-mindedness was enhanced by examples of morons, imbeciles, and idiots which served to define the terms in a clearer manner than is possible in text books.

Afternoon sessions were conducted at the hospital for the insane at which time the students talked with the inmates, visited the various wards, and listened to a discussion of the causes and types of insanity.

The lectures at both institutions were based upon an outline prepared at the college by Mr. Crew, so as to emphasize the problems of abnormal psychology as related to the teaching field.

COMMENCEMENT SEASON CALENDAR

Saturday, May 22

Senior Breakfast, 7:30 a. m.—Court of President's Home
Class Day Exercises, 11:00 a. m.—Caldwell Hall Aud.
Band Concert, 5:30 p. m.—Dining Hall Court
Phi Kappa Nu Dance, 8:30 p. m.—Women's Gym

Sunday, May 23

Baccalaureate Sermon, 11:00 a. m.—Caldwell Hall Aud.

Monday, May 24

Preliminaries, Fine Arts Club Contest, 2:00 p. m.—Caldwell Hall Auditorium
Fine Arts Club Costume Ball, 8:30 p. m.—Women's Gym

Tuesday, May 25

Little Theatre Matinee, 2:00 p. m.—Caldwell Hall Aud.
Commencement Exercises and Dedication of Richard W. Leche Library, 6:00 p. m.—Academic Court
Candlelight Service, 8:00 p. m.—St. Denis Marker
Venetian Night, 8:30 p. m.—Cane River Lake on Front Street

Alumni Reception-Dance, 9:00 p. m.—Social Activities Center

Normal Scrapbook To Go On Sale In Normal Book Store At Noon Today

New Campus Magazine Makes Debut With Pictures of the 1936-37 Year on Normal Campus

Ink in the Normal Scrapbook is now drying and the book will be delivered ready for sale in the Normal Bookstore at noon today, printers reported early this morning.

The thirty-six page annual picture magazine, probably the first of its kind attempted in a college, will make its debut today with pictures of Life at Normal. Most of the pictures reproduced in the bright-yellow Scrapbook cost the publications department more than \$1,300.00, and were made during the 1936-37 school year.

Student Body Pictured

The entire student body is pictured on the cover that is a crosspatch of scenes and faces familiar to the present Normal students. Within the book are pictured 1936-37 faces, events, and organizations of the college.

The new publication of which there is only a limited number printed, will be sold to students at 25 cents per copy today Miss Johnson, in charge of the bookstore sales, reported that close to 200 Scrapbooks had been reserved by Normal students by 5 p. m. yesterday. "The Scrapbook is an ideal book for Normal students and teachers to keep as a memory of the year," Miss Johnson remarked. "It is something that will be looked back upon by students and can be shown after they have left the campus."

Contains Variety

Among those pictured in the First Annual Normal Scrapbook are members of basketball, football, tennis, track, swimming, and hockey teams; the men's and women's glee clubs and the band,

as well as the celebrated musicians who will teach in the Normal Band Clinic this summer; class leaders, council, faculty, beauties, and other campus celebrities.

A section of the Scrapbook allows space for the personal display of the owner of the magazine. Snapshots and other clippings and memoirs of the individual possessor of the Scrapbook will find place on the "Personal Memoirs" pages, and autographs of the individual's close friends and associates will record on the special grade of paper used throughout the book as well as on the autograph pages.

Reservations Being Made This Morning

Reservations can be made this morning before the Scrapbook is delivered to the bookstore. A ten-cent deposit for each book is being accepted by Miss Johnson, who will hold copies until Saturday noon upon request of students making the deposit. The remaining copies are to be sold today as long as they last.

Graduation, Library Dedication, Fine Arts Festival, Home-Coming Features Of Commencement

Governor Leche Will Confer Degrees, Certificates on 250 Candidates in Tuesday Celebration

Hundreds of alumni and friends of the college from every section of the state are expected to return to the campus next Tuesday, May 25 for the annual commencement exercises, the dedication of the Richard W. Leche Library, home-coming and Fine Arts club spring festival services of historic Natchitoches.

Governor Richard W. Leche will be the central figure in the one-day celebration at the State Normal college when he gives the main address at the dedication of the

Honor Students Are Announced By Registrar

Eighteen Are Candidates For A.B. Degree, Seven To Receive Two-Year Certificates

Twenty-five of the 253 candidates for the A. B. degree and the two-year certificate have excelled in scholarship to win places on the honor roll of this year's graduates, it was announced this week by W. S. Mitchell, registrar.

The honor roll of students who attained an average grade of B or above during their four years of work at the State Teachers' college is: Rubye A. Bowen, Arthur A. Carter, Mrs. H. J. Colvin, Velma Caston, Roberta Margaret Duffy, Minnie Merle Flanders, Mrs. Ethel Holder, Lizzie Leigh Loftus, Geraldine Lyons, Hazel McGhee, Isobel Page, Madeline Rogers, Gertrude Slimer, Willie Lou Talbot, Kathryn L. Tillory, Woodrow Waller, Mrs. Chrissie H. Williams and Nelwyn Williams.

The two-year honor students are: Margaret Braswell, Melba Cora Brown, Edmee Hanchee, Frances McNeely, Elsie L. Perry, Harriet Esther Robertson, and Ruth Thomas.

President Albert A. Fredericks will read the names of the honor graduates as a special feature of the commencement program Tuesday.

Many Programs Slated For Year By Hill Billies

Group Will Make Trip To Crowley Early In June

When Mr. Crew was asked several days ago what he would be doing this summer he answered, "I'll run a hill billy band." Though he is in charge of the Personnel and Guidance department Mr. Crew finds time to practice several nights a week with his hill billies to prepare for the engagements which are "piling up fast" according to manager Crew.

The hill billy band has more than sixteen engagements already scheduled for the summer and among the more important ones are a trip to Crowley on June 3, to play for the Southern Cattle Association. On June 5 the "billies" go to Ward 10 to entertain at the Catholic Church Recreational Program, while for the 4th of July they have several invitations, but as yet have not chosen one.

The boys in the band all have nicknames and each one has, according to Mr. Crew, a distinct appeal to the audience for which he plays. "If they stick together throughout the summer they are going to have plenty of work", said the Maestro of the band.

The members of the band are: Melvin Bradley, fiddler and announcer; E. A. Hand, guitarist, soloist, and duetist; Thomas Elkins, hill billy yodler; Leslie Graham, mandolin shiek; Reginald Ward, humming bird and mandolin stylist; Ben Rushing, the doghouse slapper; Don Raines, the clown; or natural comedian from "no man's land."

new library which is named in his honor and confers the degrees on the 140 A. B. graduates and awards certificates to 110 two-year graduates.

The commencement season will get under way on Saturday when the seniors will observe class day in Caldwell Hall auditorium. Mrs. H. J. Colvin of Natchitoches, valedictorian of the four-year class will deliver the main address of the occasion on the subject "Modern Trends of Testing in Colleges."

On Sunday, May 23, the Most Reverend J. C. Vandegaer, Chancellor of the Diocese, St. Agnes Church, Tallulah, will preach the annual baccalaureate sermon in Caldwell Hall auditorium. Both A. B. and two-year graduates will attend the services in a body.

Preliminaries in the Fine Arts club contest will be staged Monday, May 24, at 2:00 p. m. when the three best compositions in one-act play, poetry, music and painting depicting the romantic life of St. Denis will be selected to compete in the finals Tuesday afternoon. Prizes of \$50 each will be given for first place in each division of the contest.

The Fine Arts club will honor the seniors at an historic costume ball in the women's gymnasium Monday night. Prizes will be offered (Continued on Last Page)

Radio Technician Addresses Lambda Delta Lambda Frat

Science Fraternity Banquet Attended By Many Guests And Members

More than 40 members and guests of Eta chapter of Lambda Delta Lambda, national honorary physical science fraternity, heard R. H. Stimpert, field engineer for RCA Victor, discuss the development of radio and television at the first annual banquet of the organization held May 13.

In his talk Mr. Stimpert outlined the four phases of radio development and predicted the conquering of the micro-waves which would allow each individual a frequency of his own.

Television was described as being technically perfect by the speaker but its universal use was not expected because of the expense of receivers, the manner in which the waves travel and the many relays required.

Geraldine Lyons, retiring president, delivered the address of welcome to the guests and Tandy McElwee, incoming president, outlined future plans of the fraternity. A short talk was given by President Albert A. Fredericks who was followed by Robert Jones who discussed the "Ninety-third Element—namely Women."

The discussion on the "Ninety-third Element" was received enthusiastically by the guests and Mr. Webb who suggested that Toastmaster Leroy Miller have a further discussion on the subject. Mr. Miller called upon "one versed in the subject but not a conqueror of it", F. G. Fournet, professor of physics, who proved his knowledge of the "element."

Special guests at the banquet were President and Mrs. A. A. Fredericks, Mr. Stimpert, D. W. (Continued on Last Page)

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HAPPY LANDING

With the end of school drawing near, students are anxiously looking forward to the arrival of the closing day. Numerous events are crowding into these last few days of school.

Parties, picnics, dances and classes are part of the college students daily routine during the last few weeks of the term. However, there is one thing of which the students should be cautious—that is permitting the frolics to interfere with class work and study-time. With the end of the spring term in mind, one is reminded of final exams!

This paper wishes to serve as a last warning to the general student body and again suggests that an ample amount of studying be done before each goes to place the few fragments of knowledge on paper. Remember the last thing one does leaves a lasting impression upon which his final grades are based.

A CHALLENGE TO FRATERNITIES

Intra-mural competition among the various fraternities and men's groups has been given a worthwhile impetus in the past two weeks by the organization of several soft-ball teams. Activity of this type helps to foster a sportsmanship understanding between the several factions on the hill rather than the too prevalent ill-will manifested by over-emphasis on trying to out-do each other in the political arena.

The natural corollary of intra-mural organization is the establishment of a group similar to the Pan-Hellenic council of the sororities to stimulate cooperation and mutual understanding among the fraternities. By having an rules might be formulated to avoid the often heard criticisms, "Oh, they pledged him before he had his trunk half opened" and "They pledge them here as soon as they get in the gate."

Without definite rushing rules, every fall semester becomes a mad scramble for new members with an outlook for quantity. The prospective member is scarcely given time to evaluate the advantages to be derived from fraternity membership or to question the limitations imposed let alone to become acquainted with those who are to be his fraternal brothers for four years.

Those men who are interested in the preservation of the ideals upon which fraternities profess to be built would be taking a step forward by organizing an inter-fraternity council before the close of school for the purpose of formulating definite rushing and pledging rules.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Spring Quarter, 1937

Wednesday, May 26

8:00-10:00 1st Period Monday
10:15-12:15 2nd " "
1:15- 3:15 3rd " "

Thursday, May 27

8:00-10:00 4th " "
10:15-12:15 5th " "
1:15- 3:15 6th " "

Friday, May 28

8:00-10:00 1st Period Tuesday
10:15-12:15 2nd " "
1:15- 3:15 3rd " "

Saturday, May 29

8:00-10:00 4th " "
10:15-12:15 5th " "
1:15- 3:15 6th " "

Original and duplicate grade slips will be due in the Registrar's Office at 2 p. m., Monday, May 31. Arrange grade slips alphabetically (not by separate classes) with names of advisers on each grade slip.

Advisers may call at the Registrar's office Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock for the grades. Classification for the Summer term will begin at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, June 1 in the various classification rooms in Caldwell Hall.

Grades for two-year and four-year candidates for graduation will be due in the Registrar's Office by noon, Friday, May 21.

W. S. Mitchell, Registrar

Student Council Announcement

The Student Council is taking this opportunity to announce that the amendments it has proposed will be read and voted upon at the next student body meeting, which will be held at whatever time the college authorities and the President of the student body consider best.

Every student is asked to read in his handbook the provisions for amendments which are contained in Article XII of the Constitution of the student body. This article provides that amendments proposed by the Student Council shall be taken to the student body for ratification, which means that a first reading is not necessary. A meeting for a first reading, such as was held last Friday, was unnecessary according to the Constitution, as it now stands, because of the fact that the amendments were proposed by the Student Council, and not from the student body at large. However, in view of the fact that one of the proposed amendments is to provide for a delay of two weeks in both methods of introduction of amendments—either by the Council or by a member of the student body at large,—such a meeting was entirely in accord with the belief of the Student Council that a first reading should be held in both cases, because it is the general opinion that amendments to a constitution should be considered carefully before any changes are made.

The fact that the Student Council does believe that the Constitution is to be interpreted at the present in this way—that no first reading is necessary when amendments are proposed by the Student Council—is demonstrated in the fact that it has included as one of its proposed amendments that of providing for a delay in both methods of proposing amendments.

Now the question will arise as to why this fact was not brought out at the previous student body meeting, and the position of the Council stated clearly. That can be explained in this way—the Council wished to interpret the Constitution, as far as possible, in the spirit in which it was written, rather than in the letter. This has been done in several instances already this year. When this Constitution was drawn up last year, it was a very hurried piece of work, completed in a week or so, by a committee of five students. Naturally there were errors in the

wording of some parts, and omissions which are taken care of in the proposed 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th amendments. It was the intention of this committee last year to provide for a two-weeks delay in both methods of introducing amendments, but a close interpretation of Article XII shows that this is not actually stated. The Council believes that the students as a whole would prefer that the Constitution be interpreted in the spirit in which it was written, until all discrepancies due to its hurried adoption are corrected by amendments.

However, since the Student Council feels that the majority of the students would rather have the ratification of the amendments before final examinations begin, it feels justified in interpreting the constitution literally and declaring that, according to the constitution, a first reading and a subsequent delay of two weeks is not necessary, that the ratification can be at any regular meeting of the student body, and that there is no necessity of posting or publishing the proposed amendments, as these requirements are stated merely for the method of proposing amendments from the student body at large. However, the Council wishes it understood that if there were sufficient time for this procedure, the amendments would be ratified in this way.

In answer to the criticism stated at the previous meeting that a student body meeting is not a regular one unless it is one held every third Monday, the Council wishes to call this fact to the students' attention: that there would be not regular student body meetings if this requirement was necessary because of the fact that the consent of the college authorities cannot be secured for a meeting that often. When the Constitution was drawn up, the authorities thought that it would be possible for the fourth period Monday to be left vacant, in order that the student body might use this period every third Monday. This was found to be impossible this year, and because every act of the student government is subject to the approval of the college authorities, a meeting authorized by the Dean of Students and called by the President of the Student Body must of necessity constitute a regular meeting.

The Council will submit to the student body for ratification, amendments, printed elsewhere in this paper, which provide for changes that the majority of that council think are necessary. The first and last amendments, naturally, will have two sides of argu-

ment, but the other proposed changes represent omissions or slight errors due to hurried drafting and adoption. It is the hope of the Council that each member of the student body will consult his handbook, note the changes proposed, and give each amendment his consideration. The Council has spent much time drawing up and debating the merits of these pro-

posed changes, and it is their opinion that the students who elected them wish them to discharge their duty as they see fit. Whether the amendments are ratified or not, the Council feels justified in stating its position on these questions by proposing the amendments to the student body for its consideration.

The Student Council

Amendments to the Student Body Constitution of the Louisiana State Normal College, Proposed by the Student Council, To take effect at the beginning of the Fall Term, 1937

- That Section 3 of Article IV be amended by striking out the words, "the editors of the Potpourri and Current Sauce; the presidents of the three religious organizations," and by inserting the words, "the president of the Freshman Class."
- That Section 2 of Article V be amended by inserting the words, "at the time of nomination" after the word, "resident," the words, "according to term hours" after the word "term," and the words, "at the time they take office," after the word, "elected."
- That Section 3 of Article V be amended by striking out the words "Article VI" and inserting the words "Article IV," and by adding the words: "No person classified above a first term senior, according to term hours, shall be eligible for the Student Council. A general average of 2.0 quality points shall be required for all Student Council members."
- That Section 1 of Article VII be amended by striking out the word, "shall," and inserting the word, "may," after the word, "Council."
- That Section 3 of Article VIII be amended by adding this sentence: Vacancies left by Student Council members elected at large shall be provided for by an election from the floor at large.
- That Section 1 of Article XI be amended by inserting the word, "eligible," after the word, "two" and before the word, "persons," and by inserting the words, "who shall run," after the word, "persons"; and that the following sentence be added: The editors of the two publications shall be classified as a last-term sophomore, a junior, or a first-term senior, according to term hours. He must have 2.0 quality points for each term hour earned.
- That Section 1 of Article XII be amended by striking out the word, "ratification," in the first paragraph, and inserting the words, "first reading."
- That the Third By-Law be amended by omitting the last sentence, and by adding the words, "with a special award for senior cheerleaders who have served three years," after the words, "cheerleaders."

NEWS ABOUT THE GREEKS

PHI KAPPAS INITIATE

Phi Kappa Nu, social fraternity, initiated nine students at a meeting May 14 at which time all members participated in the ceremonies.

The Normalites initiated were Norman Dees, David Melder, Joshua Roebuck, Bill Hamilton, Ben Rushing, Roy Lewis, Jack Rockhold, Truett Sledge, and Wayne Sledge.

Social activities for the current season will terminate with the annual Phi Kappa Nu dance Saturday night. Officers of the fraternity expect a large alumni representation at the function.

PI KAPPA SIGMA

Alpha Delta chapter of Pi Kappa Sigma entertained in honor of Margaret Elston whose marriage will take place in June, with a supper in Pan Hellenic room on Tuesday, May 18. The blue, white and silver color scheme was artistically carried out with white roses, blue larkspurs, silver leaves and Calla lilies. Blue and white candles in crystal candle holders were used. Heart puzzles were the attraction during the evening.

After a delicious supper Margaret was presented with crystal glass ware in an etched Fostoria pattern. Dainty placecards marked the places of Mrs. Ethel Hereford, Miss Catherine Winters, Miss Dean Varnado, Mrs. Raymond Whitehead, Narvis Webb, Opal Pollock, Miss Debbie Pinkston, and the members.

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Psi Psi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha entertained with its first alumnae banquet at the Nakatosh Hotel on May 15, 1937. The gold and white color scheme was carried out in the decorations, place cards, and program. The program, The Book of Alpha Sigma Alpha, was directed by Jessie Jones. "The book" contained music, by Roberta Fluit; The Design and the Plot, by Mary Kathryn Woodyard; Reading, Mildred Smith; The Cover, LaVerne Whitener; Music, Jo Jo Tucker; Psi Psi chapter, Minnie Merle Flanders, Murie Guenther, Jean Johnson, Faye Price, and Mrs. Ruby Dunckelman; and Music by Myrtis Sexton.

The guests of the sorority were Miss Miriam Nelken, Mrs. Ruby Dunckelman, Mrs. W. E. Brock, Mrs. Hargis, Miss Dean Varnado, and Mrs. Ethel Hereford.

The patronesses of Psi Psi chapter entertained the members and plagues with a weiner roast at Mrs. Dan Sutton's on May 13, 1937.

LAMBDA DELTA LAMBDA

Lambda Delta Lambda, Physics-Chemistry fraternity announces the initiation of six new members on April 22, 1937. Those initiated were Francis Parr, Thomas Edison Stuart, Oris Johnson, W. O. Jack-

son, E. D. Perkins and O. C. Sills. In order to be eligible for membership in Lambda Delta Lambda it is necessary that a person have a C-1 average in all subjects, and a B average in 21 hours of physics and chemistry, or both.

After the formal initiation the members and several guests were entertained by Professor and Mrs. Fournet with a lawn party. Fraternity colors were carried out in the lovely color scheme. Guests were President and Mrs. Fredericks and Professor and Mrs. Barr. Professor Barr being a representative of the Biology fraternity. Phi Delta Epsilon. Faculty members and members present were Miss Inez Allen, Misses Audrey Duke, Eleanor Burnham, Elizabeth Bass, Geraldine Lyons and Francis Parr; Mr. A. L. Ducournau, Mr. L. S. Miller, Mr. J. W. Webb, and Messrs. Clifton Owens, Cecil Sibley, William Hagewood, Robert Jones, Tandy McElwee, Russell Holman, Wesley Vaughn, R. S. Pyle, C. S. Killen, W. O. Jackson and Thomas Edison Stuart.

PI DELTA EPSILON

Pi Delta Epsilon, honorary biology fraternity, held its annual picnic at "Normal Wells" Monday evening with 20 guests in attendance.

The menu consisting of lemonade, fruit, cold meats, cheese, potato chips, and olives was arranged by Velma Caston.

LAMBDA ZETA ELECTS

The election of the Lambda Zeta fraternity officers for the 1937-38 school year was held Friday night, May 14, 1937.

Gerald Couch of Minden, captain of the 1937 football team, was elected president, Sam Aaron of Natchitoches was chosen to fill the office of vice-president with W. O. Jackson, a local man, chosen as the secretary-treasurer. Carl Henry is the sergeant-at-arms for next year while Henry Ford Glass and Pat Murphy will be reporters. The local group announces the pledging of Lewis Norris and John Norris.

Allen Dean, an alumni of 1932, was a visitor on the campus during the early part of the week.

The "Zigzags" Lambda Zeta team defeated the Sigma Tau team 8 to 7 and the Phi Kappa Nu team 17-12. The Independents lost to the Phi Kappa 9 to 1 and then came back to defeat the Sigma Taus 6 to 4.

DEMETER-EUTHENICS

Euthenics club, home-economics organization and Demeter, national agriculture fraternity, participated in a joint picnic at "Normal Wells" last week to close the social season of the two groups for the year.

The outing was attended by more than 50 members of both organizations.

Tom Elkins furnished music by playing on his guitar and singing.

A REVIEW

Success in College and How to Obtain it

By Otis R. Crew

(Reviewed by Al Rodriguez)

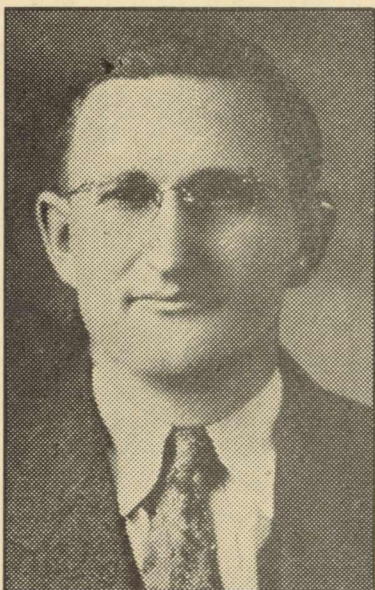
Mr. Otis R. Crew in his booklet, *Success in College and How to Obtain It*, has the answer to many perplexing questions which confront all college students. The booklet, which is to be printed and released next fall, will act not only as a guide in academic work but also as a social guide to the students of the college.

In the forward President Fredericks states: "I am interested in the training and intellectual growth of all young men and young women who attend the Louisiana State Normal college." Mr. Fredericks goes on to state, "Our ultimate aim is well developed men and women, happily situated and well adjusted in their proper life's work." The final bit of advice given in the forward is to study and follow the suggestions given in the booklet and also to live in accordance with the principles laid down in it.

In his introduction Mr. Crew speaks of the "Four Square Development" which constitutes the Mind, Body, Character, and Personality. "If you expect to obtain success in life, it is necessary that you develop along these four lines"—with this sound advice the author delves into aspects of these four essentials.

In chapter three Mr. Crew tersely passes judgment on drinking, cheating, gambling, stealing, lying, improper sex relations and profanity, and appeals to an intelligent outlook on the part of the student as a means of eradicating permanently these habits from colleges.

In chapter seven entitled, "Suggestions on How to Study," Mr. Crew introduces his argument by



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stating the possibilities that the present generation has in educational opportunities in contrast to those of our parents. Here he advises students to take advantage of these opportunities. In the same chapter the author asks several questions in an attempt to stimulate greater activity and understanding of academic work. He asks questions such as: "Are you willing to learn? Do you understand what you read? Do you learn easily from observation? Are you a good listener?" In these questions Mr. Crew gets down to the basis of learning, for surely education depends upon observation, listening, eagerness, and an ability to read.

As a step toward culture and toward the making of polished individual in the ways of college and learning, the booklet will be of immeasurable value.

Because the study and work is founded upon practical experience in education, Mr. Crew presents information and advice that will pertain especially to the Normal students and to students of all colleges and universities in general.

VARSITY TIES FOR SECOND; FRESHMEN WIN

Going into the last event of the S.I.A.A. field and track tournament, the mile relay, trailing Louisiana College by 3 points and Southwestern by six, Coach Harry "Rags" Turpin's tracksters slammed the old "dope" bucket square in the face by defeating the S.L.I. Tech, and Louisiana College relay teams to gain a tie with the Wildcats for second place in the meet. Southwestern won the meet for the third consecutive year by piling up 50 points. The Demons and Wildcats trailed in the second position with 46.

The Imps, led by Willard Jackson in the dashes and Gordon Stansbury in the weights copped first place in the freshman division with 60½ points. S. L. I., with 43½ points was second and Louisiana College with 18 was third.

Captain Marvin Wyatt of the Normal squad, who compiled 16 points and gained high score honors, was the outstanding trackster on the field. He entered five events and collected 2 firsts, 1 second, 1 third and 1 fourth place. From the beginning of the meet at two o'clock Marvin began participating in events and did not finish until just before the mile relay. He won first place in the 100 yard dash and the 220 yard low hurdle; second in broad jump, third in pole vault and fourth in high hurdles. In the 220 yard low hurdles, he tied the record, 24, which was set by Brewster of Louisiana College.

Williamson furnished the other feature of the day when he broke the tape ahead of Landry and Estes, co-favorites to win the 440 yard dash. Williamson covered the lap in 50.2 seconds, when he overcame the lead of Landry and Estes in the last twenty yards to come in first. The relay team, composed of Wiggins, Scott Harmon and Williamson was able to defeat the favorites, S.L.I. only by the superb performance of all four.

In the freshman division Jackson and Stansbury were easily the outstanding tracksters on the field. Gilson, Murrell, Hunter, and the whole freshman team all were instrumental in bringing the Imps the freshman championship.

Results:

100-Yard Dash — Wyatt, Normal; Duncan, S. L. I.; Harmon, Normal; Aguilard, Louisiana College. Time, 10.

220-Yard Dash — Kidd, Tech; Duncan, S. L. I.; Harmon, Normal; Aguilard, Louisiana College. Time, 22.2.

440-Yard Dash — Williamson, Normal; Landry, S. L. I.; Roger, S. L. I.; Estes, Louisiana College. Time, 50.2.

880-Yard Run—Johnson, S. L. I.; Williamson, Normal; Wiggins, Normal; Ducrest, S. L. I. Time, 2:02.

Mile Run — Johnson, LeBlanc, Stirling, S. L. I.; Scott, Normal. Time, 4:34.2.

Two-Mile Run—Stirling, S.L.I.; Dear, Mississippi College. Time, 10:20.

High Hurdles—Rush, Louisiana College; Woodard, Tech; Daigle, S. L. I.; Wyatt, Normal. Time, 15.1.

Low Hurdles—Wyatt, Normal; Cole, Tech; Rush, Louisiana College; Brock, Southwestern.

Broad Jump—Crowell, Louisiana College; Wyatt, Normal; Duncan, Southwestern; Pharr, Southwestern. Distance, 22 feet, 7 3-4 inches.

High Jump—Coody, Tech; McGee, Normal; Pharr, Southwestern; Hitt, Mississippi. Height, 5 feet 11 inches.

Pole Vault — Wood, Louisiana College; Dear, Louisiana College; Wyatt, Normal; Coody, Tech. Height, 12 feet 6 inches.

Shotput—Hart, Louisiana College; Ledet, Normal; Whitman, Tech; Giddins, Tech. Distance, 49 feet 9 3-4 inches.

Discus—Hart, Louisiana College; Jackson, Southwestern; Martinez, Southwestern; Mitchell, Louisiana College. Distance, 132 feet 3 inches.

Javelin—Hart, Smith, Rush, Louisiana College; Parker, Normal. Distance, 184 feet 7 inches.

Mile Relay—Normal (Wiggins, Scott, Harmon, Williamson); S. L. I., Louisiana College, Tech. Time, 3:27.

Freshman Summary

100-Yard Dash—Jackson, Normal; Walker, Southwestern; Weems, Mississippi; Murrell, Normal. Time, 10.2.

220-Yard Dash—Jackson, Nor-

A YEAR IN REVIEW

By STEVE HARMON

Another year of sports has ended at the State Normal College. It has been a most successful year of sports, and dope points to a more promising year next season.

Football started out with a poor showing but ended with such a surprise, that the college fans are looking forward to a S.I.A.A. Conference Championship in the fall. There were five wins, four losses and one tie. The season tended to show some of the finest football players ever to don the Purple and White. The coming season should show the fan the best of all-time Demon football teams.

The outstanding stars, with the exception of one or two, were of the sophomore ranks and have two more years of good football under their belts. These men have shown that they can stand up very well under the strain of the best competition.

The team graduates only a few men that will be missed next year. The loss of Captain Paul "Polly" Piazza, a capable guard, will be felt more than any one else, but as Coaches Turpin and Aillet have shifted Walter Ledet, another Abbeville boy in Piazza's position the line backing problem of worry seems of cease.

In the line the varsity holdover stars are Captain Sims Jackson, end, Walter Ledet, a tackle shifted to a guard position, who will also back up the line. This big 220 pound boy has a very promising season ahead of him next year. Then there is Smolinski, end; Mathis, guard; Wagley, tackle; Hillman, guard; Flournoy, tackle; and Kidd Frar, one of the best centers in S.I.A.A. circle.

The backfield comes in with its share of stars along with the big line. Charles Loomis, husky fullback from Ferriday, proved to be the most consistent ground-gainer for the Demons, and much is expected from him when the call to "togs" is issued in September. Billy Parker, Emmett Cope, Frank Pernici, James "Wennie" Hilborn, Marvin Wyatt and co-captain Gerald Couch, an exceptionally good kicker, will all come in for their share of the "ball toting" department.

The freshmen graduate, such stars as Miller, Stansbury, Creighton, Allen, Renwick, Saucier and Kelly in the line, and Jackson, Gilson, "Shug" Murrell, and Barrilleaux in the backfield.

With this array of stars, Coaches Turpin and Aillet should have one of the best teams in the S.I.A.A. Conference.

Looking over the basketball season, we see Coach H. Lee Prather with one of the finest teams that has ever performed on the hardwoods of the State Normal college. With such players as Captain Elmo Tullis, from Jonesboro, Milton McGee, Bill Loftin, Marvin Wyatt, and John Elkins and E. D. Perkins, the two sophomores who performed so well in their varsity debut, Normal turned out one of the best teams in the Southern area.

The Demons won ten of their thirteen conference tilts and with only Captain Tullis and Wyatt guarding, they should even have a better line-up next winter. The freshmen send up some valuable men in Willard Jackson, Burnette Webb, "Snooky" Peyton, and Monroe "Corn" Cob.

Looking at the track team's record you can readily see where the Purple and White thinclads have a sure fine opportunity of winning the Conference Championship next spring.

Coach Turpin's boys performed very impressively in all their meets the past season, and especially in the Conference meet at Alexandria. The team loses only Captain Marvin Wyatt, who will be keenly missed next season.

The 1938 season should be the best in the history of Normal—with such men returning as Ledet, who is a sure winner in the shot, and Williamson, Conference 440 Champion; McGee, high jump Parker, javelin; Pernici, sprints; Elkins brothers, in the weights; Wiggins and Scott, distance men. The frosh send up some excellent prospects in Jackson, Webb, "Shug" Murrell, Stansbury, Maddox and Hunter.

The tennis team under the direction of Coach "Rags" Turpin who has had his hands full for the season, won and lost to Centenary and tied Louisiana College for a short season.

The team was composed of three sophomores and one senior. John D. Bell playing the number one position has been beaten but once since his collegiate debut. The other members were Causey, and Cross, sophomores, and McLean, senior.

The season was a most successful one. Putting all facts down I think the boys will show you something to keep you interested the coming season.

mal; Governale, Southwestern; Seale, Louisiana College. Time, 22.4.

440-Yard Dash — Governale, Southwestern; Barber, Louisiana College; Abercrombie, Southwestern; Maddox Normal. Time, 53.

880-Yard Run—Wemple, Southwestern; Gibson, Normal; Ishee, Mississippi College; Barber, Louisiana College. Time, 2:04.

Mile Run — Ishee, Mississippi College; Strohschein, Louisiana College; Gibson, Normal. Time, 4.49.

High Hurdles—Walker, Southwestern; Kendrick, Tech; Martin, Normal; Carradine, Louisiana College. Time, 16.2.

Low Hurdles—Kendrick, Tech; Martin, Normal; Tassin, Normal; Hawkins, Louisiana College. Time, 6-6.

Broad Jump—Hays, Tech; Walker, Cagnet, Southwestern; Murrell, Normal. Distance, 22 feet 6½ inches.

High Jump — Cagnet, Southwestern; Hays, Tech; Walker, S. L. I.; Hunter, Normal, and Baker, S. L. I., tied for fourth. Height, 5 feet 9 inches.

Pole Vault—Hunter and Murrell, Normal, tied; Baker, Southwestern; Johnson, Louisiana College. Height, 11 feet.

Shot—Stansbury, Monclar, Murrell, Normal; Pace, Louisiana College. Distance, 41 feet 6 3-4 inches.

Discus — Stansbury, Normal; Tillman, Southwestern; Weems, Mississippi College; Monclar, Normal. Distance, 112 feet 6 inches.

Javelin—Monclar, Normal; Roberts, Pace, Louisiana College; Murrell, Normal. Distance, 156 feet 7 inches.

Mile Relay—Normal, first; S. L. I., second. Time, 3:37.6.

W. A. A. HOLDS ANNUAL TRACK MEET HERE

Miss Martha DePrato Named "Honor Girl" For Session; Miss Caston Second

The Women's Athletic Association here staged its annual intramural track meet last week and named co-eds to receive awards for the athletic activities in women's sports during the year at the State Teachers' college.

Miss Martha DePrato of Ferriday and Miss Velma Caston of New Orleans were awarded "N" blankets for their athletic prowess in the field of women's sports. Miss DePrato who amassed a total of 1160 points during the year was named "honor girl" of 1936-37.

Misses Sarah Afeman of Morrow, Melba Bernard of Iota and Dovie Ford of Converse were given "N" sweaters, the second highest award in women's athletic circles here. Other co-eds who will receive "N" emblems will be announced by the athletic department for women.

In the athletic meet Miss DePrato topped the entries with 170 points won in the basketball throw, broad jump, discus and relay events. Miss Caston was second with 130 points earned in the baseball and basketball throws and the relay.

Following are the results of the track meet: Baseball throw for distance: Edith Granier, first, 133 feet; Jane McCardell, second, 128 feet; Velma Caston, third, 126 feet.

Basketball throw for distance: Velma Caston, first, 80 feet; Martha DePrato, second, 73 feet; Rosemary Boudreaux, third, 67 feet.

Broad jump; Melba Bernard, first, 14 feet 4 inches; Margaret Smith, second, 13 feet 5 inches; Martha DePrato, third, 13 feet 3 inches.

Discus throw: Martha DePrato, first, 67 feet; Virginia Ridge, second, 63 feet 2 inches; Margaret Smith, third, 61 feet.

High jump: Sarah Afeman, first, 4 feet 3 inches; Ina Corbett and

LAMBDA ZETA HAS LEAD IN BASEBALL CONTESTS FOR LOCAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Coach Turpin is Faculty Advisor For Group; 12 Games to be Played Before Final Series

Lambda Zeta "Zigzags" won their first three games with the following results: 8-7 against Sigma Tau; 17-12 against Phi Kappa Nu; and 11-7 against the Independents.

Phi Kappa Nu won from Sigma Tau Tuesday, 8-6, and defeated the Independents, 9-1.

The Independents have one victory, against Sigma Tau, 6-4, in the first three games.

Sigma Tau failed to win in its first three starts.

Enthusiasm is running high in the intra-mural softball league with yesterday's results as follows:

Sigma Tau 7, Lambda Zeta 2; Phi Kappa Nu 12, Independent 7.

This makes Lambda Zeta and Phi Kappa Nu tie with 3 wins each.

The intra-mural league was organized at the college last week as the outgrowth of interest developed among the boys in various soft ball gym classes. Coach H. H. Turpin was chosen as the faculty advisor. Entered in the league are teams from each of the three men fraternities, one from the boys that are not members of a fraternity organization, and one from the freshman boys who stay in the building for the athletes. The freshman team entered the league after its organization and was not represented at the meeting of the committeemen.

A committee of four, composed of a representative from each of the three fraternities on the campus, and one from the non-frat group, decided that each team would play twelve games after which time the two highest ranking clubs would play a three game series for the championship. This week games will be played every day. Next week the teams will meet every other day, and at the end of this period the two highest clubs will battle for the championship in a three game series.

and Mrs. Doris Pierson, members of the department of physical education for women.

Prof. Alvin Good Named President Of A.A.U.P. Here

Four Other Members Of Faculty Elected To Fill Offices During 1937-38 Term

Professor Alvin Good of the Social Science department was named president of the local chapter of the American Association of University Professors at a meeting of the Normal unit on May 11.

Other officers elected at the meeting were Professor H. J. Sudbury, vice-president; Dr. Sarah L. C. Clapp, secretary; Professor D. T. Tarlton, treasurer; and Miss Martha Feltus, member-at-large.

The local chapter of the association was organized here last year.

Dovie Ford, tie for second, 4 feet 2 inches; Bernice Bedingfield and Juanita Dale, tie for third, 4 feet.

Javelin throw: Ina Corbett, first, 75 feet; Della Skinner, second, 57 feet; Ruth Nelson, third, 55 feet.

50 yard dash: Margaret Smith, first; Melba Bernard, second; Dovie Ford, third. Time: 7.1 sec.

The meet was conducted under the direction of Mrs. Thelma Z. Kyser, Miss Melba Bouanchaud



THERE'S AN OLD SOUTHERN CUSTOM, originating in Louisiana, by which a merchant demonstrates his appreciation of patronage and makes a bid for its continuance. It consists of giving a little more goods than are paid for; the gift is "lagniappe."

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J. S. Pierson
President

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Receive Degrees

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Summit; Harriet Hall, New Iberia; Orville James Hanchey, Natchitoches; Elsie Harvey, Jackson; Clara Louise Havard, Ida; Cary Leontine Hebert, Innis; Thelma Alice Hickman, Shreveport; Mrs. Vera Ballard Hill, Hosston; Miriam Louise Himel, Port Allen; Mrs. Ethel Holder, Natchitoches; Katherine C. Holt, Belmont; Frances Elizabeth Houston, Mansfield; Gracie Mae Idom, Robeline; Clinton Jackson, Coushatta; Janie Alice Jefferies, Taylortown; Mrs. Rita Brown Jordan, Natchitoches; Wanda Kuntz, Kinder; Mildred LaCaze, Cloutierville; Mable Clair Lancaster, Tallulah; Emma Lou Lassus, Patterson.

Lizzie Leigh Loftus, Stonewall; Geraldine Cecelia Lyons, Mooringsport; Mrs. Bertha Alford, McClelland, Coushatta; Fannie Lou McClendon, Transylvania; Ola Grace McDuff, Gilbert; Hazel Elizabeth McGhee, Ville Platte; Frances Virginia McKinney, Minden; Robert Hulon Manning, Jr., Robeline; W. J. Massey, Flora; Dimple I. Melder, DeRidder; W. Noble Milam, Provencal; Muriel Maxine Miller, Atlanta; Rhona Louise Miller, Natchitoches; Sam J. Miller, Dry Creek; Mary Mims, Marthaville; Volney E. Mitchell, Leesville.

Bobby Montgomery, Benton; Olivette Montgomery, Benton; Mildred T. Moore, Shreveport; Stoner Moss, Lake Charles; Ouida Neal, Monroe; Robert B. Nix, Jamestown; Bessie Noble, Mangham; Van Odom, Bernice; Ibrey May Oge, Pineville; Lila Ebris (Sissy) O'Neal, Trees; Isobel Page, Monroe; Frances Marie Parr, Houma; Anne Pender, Alexandria; Elizabeth Pender, Alexandria; Mirth Cecelia Perini, Natchitoches; R. Antoinette Perroux, East Krotz Springs.

Paul Frances Piazza, Abbeville; Elven Ponder, Pleasant Hill; Philip Clark Pouncey, Fisher; Willis Pratt, Natchitoches; Mildred Proctor, Uria; Marion Augusta Reeves, Oak Grove; William Howard Rockhold, Jonesboro; Louise Julie Rogers, Shreveport; Madeline Rogers, Shreveport; Anna Louise Rogillio, Waterproof; Woodrow Salter, Florien; Doris Shell, Winnfield; Dorothy Shell, Winnfield; Mable Grace Sirman, Frolien; Mary Gertrude Slimer, Shreveport.

Jack Small, Oakdale; Alice Courtney Smith, Montgomery; Bernice Elizabeth Smith, Olla; Geraldine Jelly Smith, Selma; Sam Lissio Smith, Hanna; Billie Soncrant, Natchitoches; Loretta Stacy, Natchitoches; Lovena Sweeney, Shreveport; Samuel Edgar Talbot, Pitkin; Rosalie V. Talbot, Napoleonville; Willie Lou Talbot, Houma.

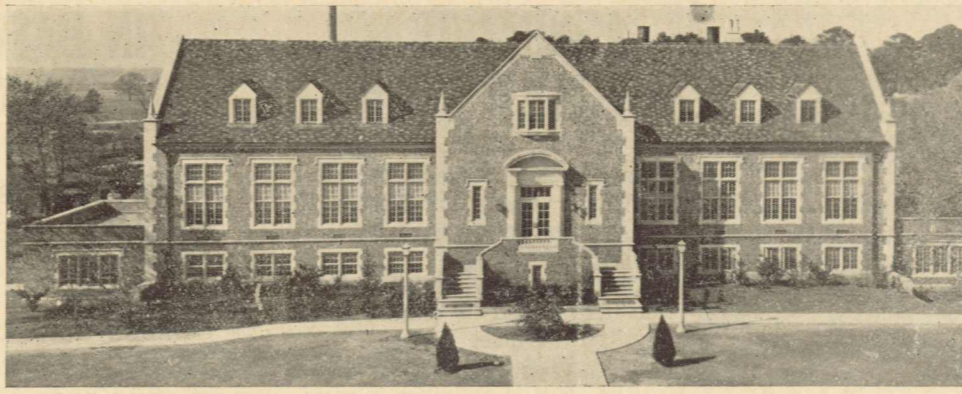
Kathryn L. Tillery, Robeline; Mrs. Blanche Weems Truly, East Point; W. Donald Turner, Winnfield; Ruth Ellen Turnley, Shreveport; John Wesley Vaughn, Haynesville; Babie Estelle Wade, Many; Rufus Kennedy Walker, Pollock; Woodrow Waller, Haynesville; Vaunita Wascom, Bogalusa; James P. Wells, Natchitoches; Mary D. White, Winnfield; Hazel Frances Wideman, Homer; William P. Willett, Colfax; Mrs. Shriessie H. Williams, Monroe; Merald Williams, Florien; Nelwyn Williams, Natchitoches; Woodrow J. Wilson, Montgomery; C. H. Winn, Marthaville; Ray Winn, Shreveport; and William Lehman Woley, Florien.

Two Year Graduates

Two-year certificate candidates for the spring quarter are: Mildred Bardin, Oak Ridge; Maude Marie Bergeron, St. Bernard; Belle Louise Bollinger, Lockport; Mildred Bowen, Selma; Margaret Rush Braswell, Arcadia; Melba Cora Brown, Natchitoches; Bertha Marie Bruchhaus, Elton; Alice Maxine Bryant, Leesville.

Mrs. A. J. Burns, Shongaloo; Mrs. Aline W. Burns, New Verda; Denese Genevieve Chatelain, Moreauville; Bobbye Jean Dark,

TO BE DEDICATED TUESDAY



The Richard W. Leche Library, pictured above, will be officially dedicated Tuesday at impressive ceremonies to be held in conjunction with commencement exercises. Governor Richard W. Leche will give the dedicatory address. Many outstanding state officials are expected to be present at the dedication and the annual graduation exercises.

Winnsboro; Clara Katherine Dobernig, Pollock; Era O. Dowden, Robeline; Altha Cecelia Elter, Washington; Lucille Evans, Sicily Island; Martha Alice Files, Oak Ridge; Mary Evelyn Frey, Natchitoches; Elaine Gaddis, Robeline; Dorothy Gamel, Taylortown; Travis S. Gore, Kelly.

Evelyn Anne Granier, St. James; Hilda Anne Hair, Monroe; Aline Mary Hardey, Ville Platte; Evelyn Hawthorne, Provencal; Della Maxine Haywood, Shreveport; Lillie Mae Knight, Franklinton; Mrs. Bessie McCarty Martin, Winnsboro; Enez Monlezun, Lake Arthur; Florence Estelle Nettles, Bunkie; Iris Jo Nunn, Jones; Virtie Mae O'Bier, Shongaloo; Lois Pharris, Robeline; Loree Pharris, Robeline.

Mary Ida Phillips, Covington; Ora Belle Rhodes, Provencal; Mary Kathleen Rhorer, Plaquemine; Jeanne Genevieve Roux, Lockport; Yvonne Eugenie Saucier, Cottonport; Billie Smith, Saline; Eleanor June Smith, Bossier City; Helena Jane Smith, Bossier City; Cora Lee Stokes, Bunkie; Mrs. Gayle Yarbrough Stubblefield, Coushatta; Katherine Ruth Thomas, Plaquemine; Leona Mabel Thompson, Hineston; Evelyn B. Townsend, Natchitoches; and Laurie Williams, Coushatta.

Normal Debaters

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the preliminary round.

In Nashville, Tennessee on April 20, 21, and 22 the Makar-Rodriguez combination retained for the Normal college the Championship of the South. The men defeated six universities and one college to tie with Florida University and Oklahoma State College of Durant, Oklahoma for the championship of the South.

From Nashville Makar and Rodriguez journeyed back to Mobile Alabama where only a few weeks before they had debated the minimum wage and maximum hour proposition over station WALA, to debate in a specially arranged debate for publication in the University Debaters' Annual. The debate on the proposition resolved: That the sit-down strike is labor's best means of achieving bargaining power equal to that of the employer, was stenographically reported in preparation for publication. The Normal's opposition in Mobile was Spring Hill College of Spring Hill, Alabama.

In the last debate of the season on the Hill John Norris and Gardner Krieger met Loyola University on the minimum wage and maximum hour proposition. The debate was a non-decision en-

counter and rolled up the total number of debates to 179.

The students that were active in forensic activities this season were: Bertha Louise Crowder, Anita Baham, Mary Bell White, Corinne Cook, LaVerne Whitener, Willie Lou Talbot, Dorothy Aden, John Makar, Pat Murphy, Al Rodriguez, Henry Ford Glass, John Norris, and Gardner Krieger.

Radio Technician

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Scott and Fred Berkowitz. Faculty members present were: F. G. Fournet and Mrs. Fournet, A. L. Ducournau, Mr. Miller, J. W. Webb and Mrs. Webb, and Miss Inez Allen.

Alumni of Lambda Delta Lambda were Cecil Sibley and Hertzog DeBlieux. The following members and their guests also attended the banquet: Geraldine Lyons and James Austin; Robert Jones and Marjorie Gaunt; Eleanor Burnham and Theon Maddox; Russell Holman and Mildred Rhodes; Elizabeth Bass and Sam Mayeaux; Tandy McElwee and Katie V. Heintz; Audrey Duke and Clyde Smith; R. G. Pyle, Jr., and Eleanor Williams; Oris Johnson and Juanita Weaver; William Hage-wood and Myriam Breaux; O. C. Sills and A'Dair Ragan; Edison

Graduation

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ed for the most typical costumes of the periods represented.

Opening the commencement day activities, the Fine Arts club will sponsor garden visitation in the city of Natchitoches Tuesday morning. Refreshments will be served in the gardens of Mrs. Sam Levy and Mrs. Albert A. Fredericks. The club will also hold the Little Theatre matinee Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and a tea and art exhibit at 4 o'clock.

Commencement activities proper will begin at 6:00 p. m. on the academic court in front of the new library building where Governor Leche will give the dedicatory address and confer degrees and award certificates. President Albert A. Fredericks will preside over the commencement exercises and read the honor roll of 25 students who have excelled in scholarship.

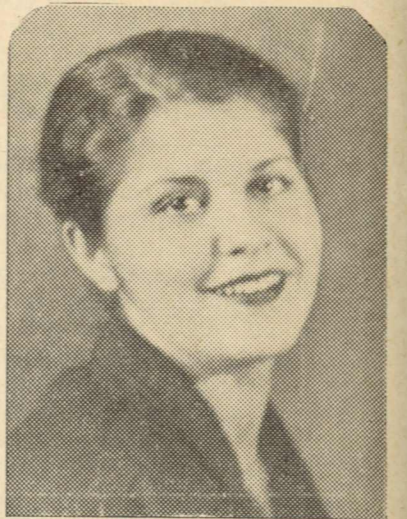
C. O. Holland of Minden, president of the alumni association, will deliver the commencement address to the seniors. Music for the commencement services will be given by the college concert band of 50 pieces.

Following the commencement exercises candlelight services will be conducted from the site of St. Denis' home on the campus, and a Venetian night depicting the historic background of Natchitoches will be staged on Cane River lake on Front street. Both features are to be given under the direction of the Fine Arts club.

Members of the classes will be taken into the college alumni association at impressive services in the social activities center at 9:00 p. m. Tuesday as the climax of the day's activities. Returning alumni of the college will be honored at a reception-dance after the services.

Stewart, and Mary Montgomery; Wesley Vaughn and Maude Dabney; C. G. Killen, Jr. and Corinne Creer; E. D. Perkins, Jr. and W. O. Jackson.

Gets Scholarship



Miss Willie Lou Talbot of Houma has been awarded a graduate fellowship to Louisiana State University on the basis of her outstanding scholastic and extra-curricular activities at the Louisiana State Normal college. Miss Talbot is one of the honor students, president of Kappa Delta Pi, member of Phi Alpha Theta, Purple Jacket club, Student Council, Women's Council, debate squad, and assistant editor of the Potpourri. Her graduate work at the University will be done in English.

Orchesis Club Extends Bids

The girls who received bids to become members of the Orchesis club for the year 1937-38 are: Lucille Anderson, Martha DePrato, Lorene Drye, Marcia Durham, Elizabeth Tugler, Ethel Good, Margaret Hicks, Lillian Malone, Jane McCardell, Annie Laura Poe, Beth Reeves, Elizabeth Rusca, and Marcia See. All members join in the hope that next year will be both fuller and more successful.

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